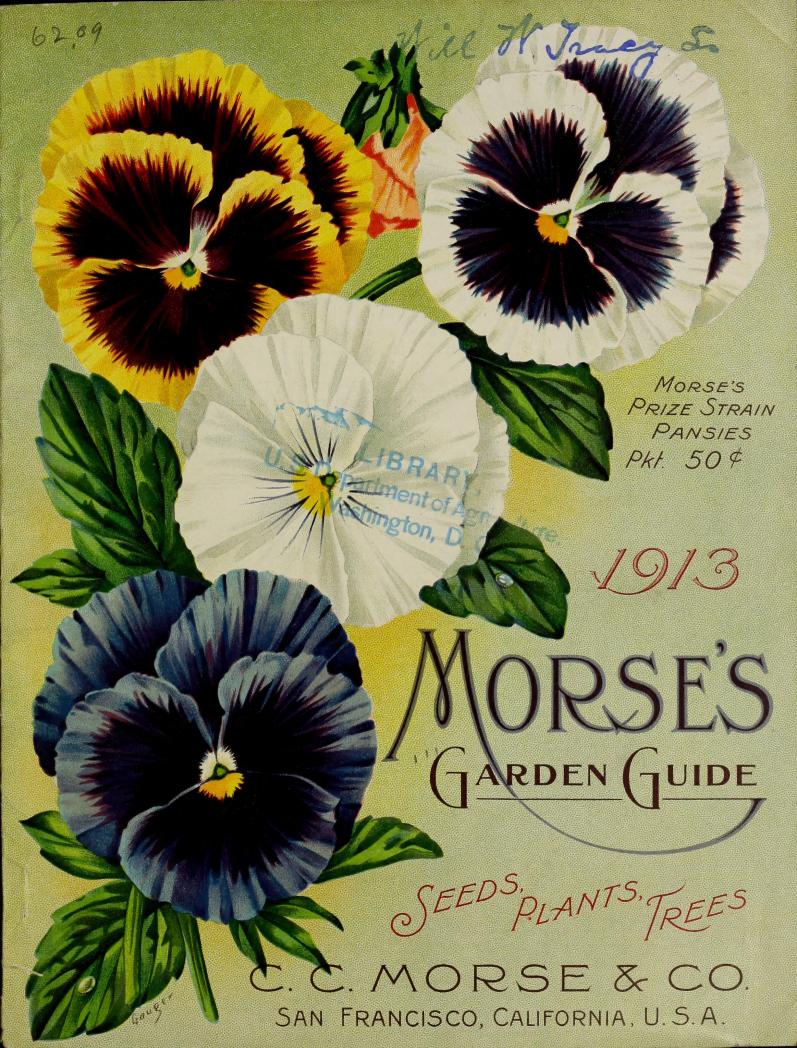
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How to Order by Mail

YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS.—Be very sure that your name and address are written very plainly on each order. We frequently have orders where either name is not given or address omitted. Also, give plainly the R. F. D. number and box, or the street address. We acknowledge all orders above 25 cents by a postcard giving the number of your particular order. If such acknowledgment is not received, or if the order does not follow at once, write us about it.

YOUR ORDER.—Please keep the Nursery portion of your order separate from the seed and insecticide part. Use the separate order sheets if possible. Seeds do not pack well with nursery stock, because they are liable to get damp and become spoiled; it is better to have them shipped separately. Correspondence should be on separate sheet, with name and address for prompt reply. Orders for seed can be filled and sent off almost as soon as received, but orders for plants and trees must sometimes be delayed on account of wet, stormy weather and the rush of orders.

CASH WITH ORDER.—The proper way is to send remittance in full to cover order and postage. We send orders C. O. D. only if 25% of the amount of order is enclosed. Plants we never send out C. O. D.

REMITTANCES should be made by Postoffice Money Order, Express Money Order, or by Bank Draft on San Francisco. For amounts up to one dollar, clean unused postage stamps will be accepted. Coin should not be sent by mail. Checks on local banks may be sent if 15 cents is added to the amount for exchange. We do not accept responsibility for orders which never reach us.

MARKET GARDENERS.—We number among our customers many market gardeners and other users of large quantities of seeds. Those desiring to purchase greater amounts than those quoted in our catalogue, will find it to their advantage to send us a complete, itemized list of their requirements and we will be pleased to name a special net price on the order.

SHIPPING.—We will use our best judgment as to the best way of sending orders when specific directions are not given. On large "postpaid" orders it is better to have them go by express if your town is on a railroad—it is safer. We prepay express charges on prices quoted "postpaid." If special directions in shipping are needed, send them explicitly, and where Express or Freight Office is different from Postoffice, so state in space on our order sheet. Paris Green, Nico Fume and other poisons are not mailable, nor are liquids like Rose Leaf and other insecticides; they must go by express or freight.

SEEDS BY MAIL.—We send by mail or by express prepaid, all orders for flower seeds, and for vegetable seeds (except beans, corn and peas). We do not pay postage or express charges on onion sets, field seeds, clovers, grasses, bird seeds, beans, corn, peas, tools or plants; but we do pay them on other vegetable and flower seeds. Correspondents in foreign countries should add a sufficient amount for postage at the rate of 12 cents per pound. Canada postage is 16 cents per pound. Seeds sent in sealed tin cans for the tropics cannot be sent by mail unless full letter postage, 50 cents per pound, is paid; they may, however, be sent by express, if such companies have offices there.

NON-WARRANTY: Note.—There are so many contingencies to be encountered in growing plants from seed and in setting out plants that are dependent on the weather and other conditions over which we have no control, that success in planting is not altogether dependent on the seed or plant. We will send out only seed which we believe will grow and produce the kind of plant and variety represented, but:

C. C. Morse & Co. give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness, or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs, plants or trees they send out, and they will not be responsible in any way for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

January, 1913.

OUR FALL CATALOGUE OF BULBS.—At the end of September we issue a complete catalogue of Bulbs and Sweet Peas. This includes Daffodils, Tulips, Hyacinths and those other gorgeous flowering bulbous plants. We plan to send this to all of our mail order customers in the Pacific Coast States. A request will bring you a copy gladly.

C. C. MORSE & CO.-SEEDS-SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.



CABBAGE—COPENHAGEN MARKET

No cabbage has been introduced in recent years that has demonstrated greater superiority for all climates and all conditions than Copenhagen Market.

In our trial grounds, every plant we set out produced a perfect and good-sized solid head.

COPENHAGEN MARKET is an early variety, producing fine heads early in the fall if seed is sown in June. It is pure turquoise color with glistening white heart.

The strain thoroughly "fixed" and all tendency to sport has been entirely eliminated by constant

selection.

COPENHAGEN MARKET is pre-eminently a market gardener's cabbage since there is no waste; the heads are solid and heavy, the stems short; it matures early and evenly.

Large cabbage growers, for their own profit, should give the Copenhagen Market a trial. Pkt. 10c;

 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c; oz. 65c; 2 oz. \$1.00; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.75; lb. \$6.50.

CABBAGE—DANISH ROUNDHEA

This is a short stemmed type and a selection out of the famous "Danish Ballhead" Cabbage—the variety so well

and favorably known and so highly esteemed throughout the northwest.
"Roundhead" is a well "fixed" strain and is a sure header, producing medium sized, hard, solid ball-shaped heads. It produces a minimum of outer leaves and the plants can be set very closely together in the field. On sandy soils it will be found superior to tall stemmed sorts, and large growers should use it in preference to all other varieties. "Roundhead" is about two weeks earlier than "Ballhead" but belongs to the main crop type of cabbage.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00.

MORSE'S GOLDEN CREAM—SWEET CORN

It would be neglecting the best interests of our customers, if we omitted to again give especial prominence to this wonderful Sweet Corn.

It has demonstrated beyond all question its superior merit and we have not been fortunate enough to date to get sufficient

The ears are medium sized; the cob is slender and the kernels are pointed or shoe-pegged and come in irregular arrangement on the cob. When at eating stage they are cream colored but are decidedly yellow when cooked. The flavor is delicious. The stalks are rather dwarf and the ears are formed very early.

Pkt. 10c; postpaid, 1b. 35c. By express or freight, 1b. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00.

LAXTONIAN PEA

A Grand New English Variety. Dwarf Vine, Mammoth Pods, Early in Ripening.

In spite of the many new Peas being offered every year by the leading seedsmen, there is a constant demand for something better. Some varieties are best for certain purposes but not for all. The canners want certain characteristics in their varieties, the market gardeners in theirs and the home gardener in his.

In LAXTONIAN we have an ideal market and home-garden pea. It belongs to the dwarf class in habit of growth and to the very large podded types in character of product.

The pods are very long, averaging easily 5 to 6 inches in length. The pods are well filled, and seldom show any blank places, as is the case with some large podded varieties.

The color is a fine deep green in both plant and pods, and the peas are a fine deep color as well.

In every respect the quality is good.

LAXTONIAN is a prolific Pea.

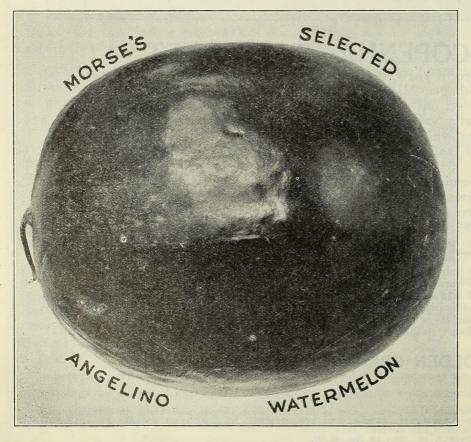
LAXTONIAN has a fine flavor.

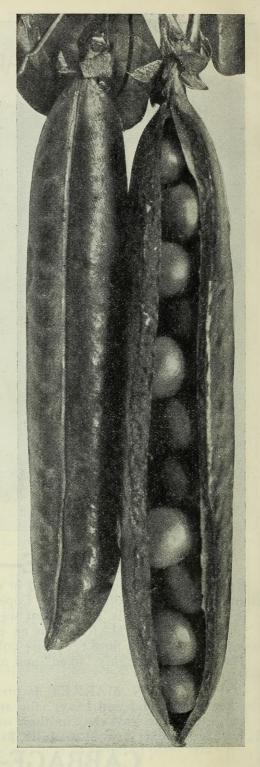
LAXTONIAN is the pea for you to plant.

Our strain is extra fine and we want every pea grower to try it. Per packet, 10c; postpaid, lb. 50c. By express or freight, lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50; 100 lbs. \$30.00.

WATERMELON-ANGELINO

Angelino is an exclusively home garden creation. It is too delicate to stand shipping and should not be used for market.

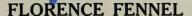




The rind is very thin—frequently not more than a quarter of an inch of white showing—the bright red flesh coming almost to the surface. The heart is solid and extremely large, in fact is so large a proportion of the whole interior as to seem nearly all heart.

The whole melon is so brittle that it will split and crack with the least jar and should be brought directly from the garden to the table.

High class stock is in short supply. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.



This is an old favorite, or rather a favorite in the old world among French and Italian gardeners. But it is little known here and we hope to introduce it among our customers. The growth is similar to common fennel, but only the bottom is eaten. When prepared for market it resembles Celery, having the root and the upper part of the stems cut off in the same manner. It is delicious when boiled or when sliced and cooked in soups.

Florence Fennel is a really good vegetable and ought to be used more generally. Pkt. 10c; per oz. 25c.

PERUVIAN ALFALFA

A new long season vigorous variety, which will grow practically all the year round, where mild winters prevail; recovers quickly after each cutting and on this account, produces one to two additional hay crops each year, and has cut as many as 11 crops in a year, exceeding even the Arabian variety in this regard. It is grown to the best advantage under irrigation and rather thick seeding is recommended. It is a variety that stands heat as well as cold and for that reason should be a valuable addition to our forage plants, especially of Southern California.

We have a small amount of selected seed to offer this year and are giving it this prominent position in our cata-

logue in order better to bring it before the public.

By the pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00; write for price on larger quantity.

LETTUCE-LOS ANGELES OR NEW YORK

Probably no lettuce has ever created a more popular demand for salad than this variety. It is par-excellence in flavor, in quality and in general merit of any description.

Whatever you do with your garden this year, be sure to sow a row of Los Angeles or New York Lettuce.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

Morse's Seeds

There is more difference in seeds—good seeds and poor seeds—than in almost any other commodity used by mankind. And the planter who sows seed is more hopelessly dependent on his seed dealer than on any one else for the success of his garden.

The planter takes his seed on faith. There is nothing about the looks of the seed that tells him what it will do. There are 24 varieties of onions listed in our catalogue, and the seed of all looks exactly the same. There is also listed a great variety of cabbage and cauliflower, kale and kohl rabi, mustard and turnips, and the seed of every one of these vegetables is identical. No living person can tell them apart, and the planter takes them from us and sows them with confidence that they are going to produce what we say they will. And he cannot possibly tell either whether or not the seed will grow. No one can tell until the seed is planted. But you know when it comes from Morse that it will grow and that it will produce what you expect it to.

Now, this confidence in us has not come without a long season of probation. Seed houses are not born in a night and a successful seed business is the result of years of patient endeavor.

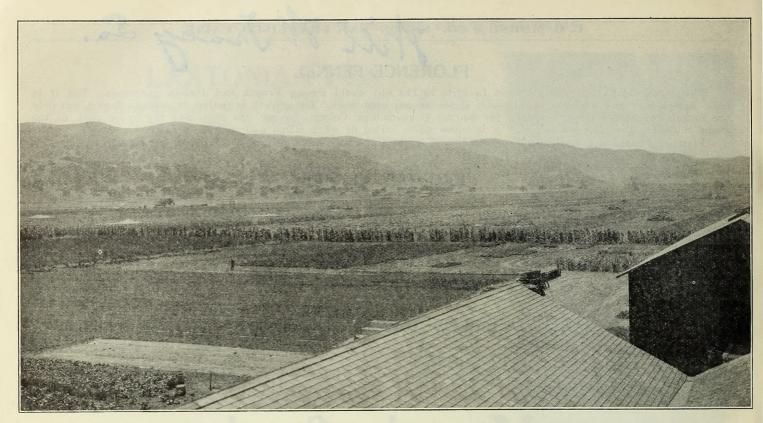
C. C. MORSE & CO. have been in the seed business since 1877, just 35 years—and their growth, though phenomenal, has been slow. The development has been by way of the most natural processes—from seed farmer to wholesale seed dealer and then to the consumer direct by retail store and catalogue mail business. The industry has been learned thoroughly and has been substantially sustained by abundant capital, thorough equipment and an intelligent staff of officers and assistants.

It is not enough that we have the intent to please and satisfy our customers—we must have the system and plan and organization that almost eliminates mistakes and gives to you the Seed of the

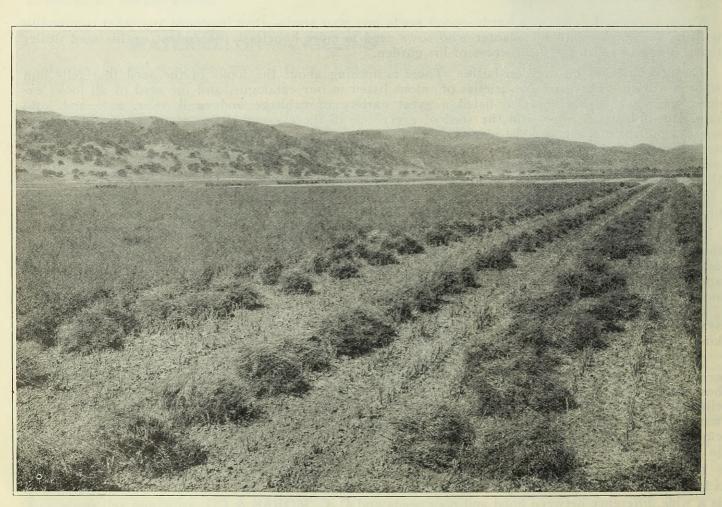
kind you want and of quality which is the best.

C. C. MORSE & CO. never knowingly send out seeds which will not grow or that are not in every way superior. There are many contingencies to meet in getting a crop, and frequently the best seed of the strongest vitality will not come up on account of some unknown or unfavorable climatic condition. But we always stand ready to replace such seed if the claim is reasonable. We want Morse's Seeds to give every satisfaction and will do anything we ought to do to please our customers. Letters in praise of Morse's Seeds are received each year in great numbers. We are glad to get these and to know that our seeds have given satisfaction to others.

How seeds are grown and the reasons why some seeds are good and some inferior, would require a long chapter and we cannot spare the room here and tell about it. But suffice it now to say that there is a wide difference between good and poor seeds and C. C. MORSE & CO. grow and sell seeds only of the very best, and this fact is so acknowledged and recognized all over the world.



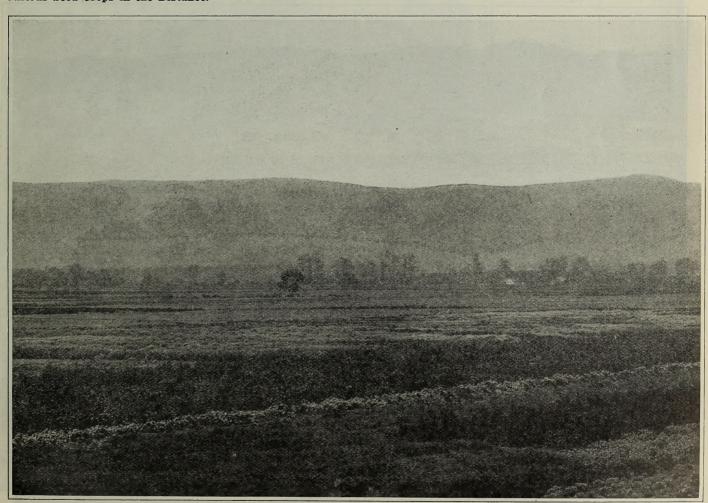
PANORAMIC VIEW OF C. C.
Near San Juan, San Benito County, Looking West From the
Grounds, Celery Beds, Etc., and Fields



A View on Our Seed Ranch Near San Juan. Long Scarlet Radish, Ripe and Being Harvested.



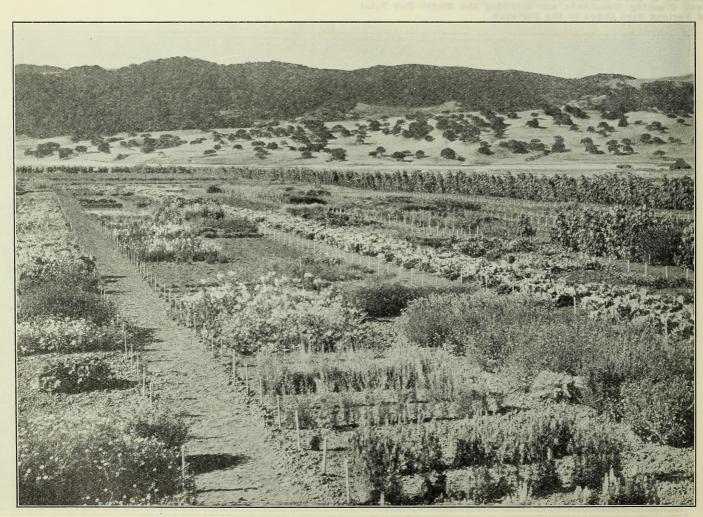
MORSE & CO.'S SEED RANCH Seed Cleaning Warehouse and Showing the Sweet Pea Trial of Various Seed Crops in the Distance.



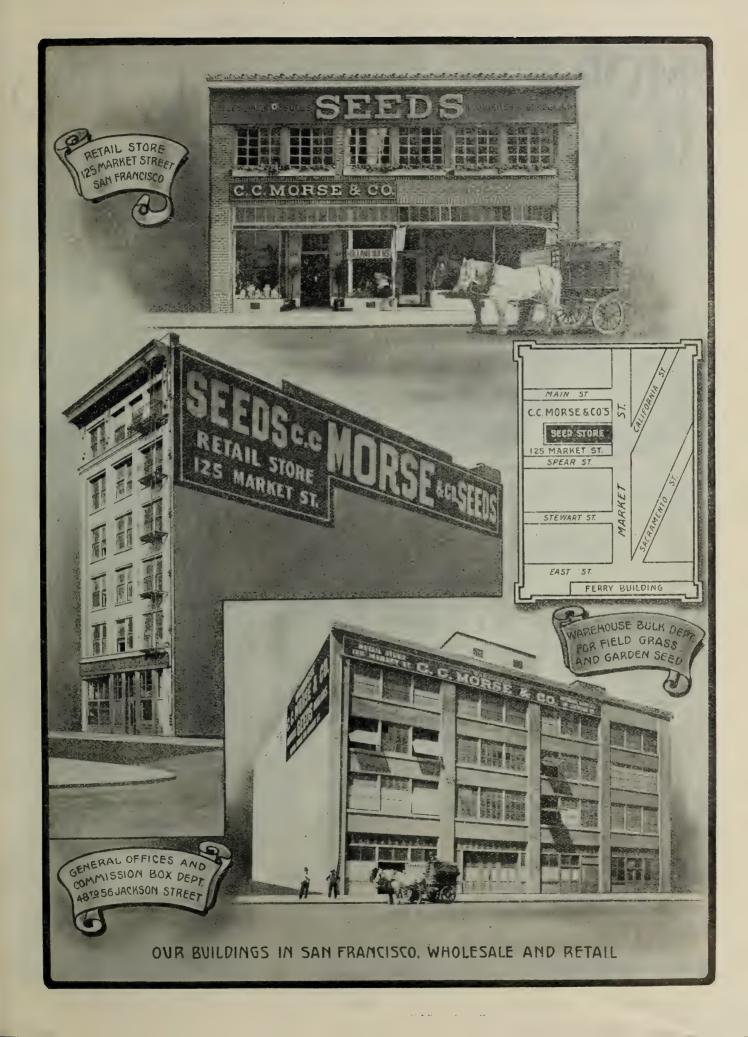
A Partial View of One of Our Seed Ranches, Showing Various Strips of Sweet Peas, Onions and Lettuce, All In Flower In the Month of June. Morse's Seed Farms are Over 2,500 Acres in Extent of the Best Land in California, Devoted Exclusively to Raising Morse's Garden and Plower Seeds, the Best for Western Planters.



Harvest Scene on Our Seed Ranch. Cutting Onion Heads in August.
We annually grow over 1,000 acres of onion seed and ship the product all over the world. Onion seed, true and fresh, can be had direct from our farms.



The "Trial Grounds" on Our New Seed Farm Near San Juan. Here Samples are Grown of Practically Everything We List, as Well as Samples of Novelties and Strains Purchased From Other Seedsmen. We Test Our Seeds in the Most Thorough Manner, and Give You the Benefit of Our Experience. Morse & Co. Keep Only Those Sorts Which Are the Best and These They Offer You in the Following Pages.



etable Seeds ORSE

The proper distances to set rows of the different plants in gardens will be given with each sort. Do not overcrowd but leave space for good development. Sow small seeds of vegetables not over ½ inch deep and keep soil regularly moist by watering. The proper depth to sow is given in the table on page 40. Remember that no seed can come up through a crust caused, for instance, by a north wind. Replanting in such a case will probably be necessary. Plants which require heat will not start in damp, cold ground; wait till conditions are better or choose another situation. Firm the soil after planting. Watch for cutworms and slugs. Keep the ground cultivated and crops growing fast; this means tender vegetables.



Artichokes-Large Green Globe

Well known standard varieties which have been thoroughly tried and can be depended on are indicated by larger type.

ARTICHOKES

Artichokes are cultivated for the edible bud, which resembles a giant thistle. The plants want a very rich soil and plenty of moisture. In California the seed should be planted in boxes in January and the young plants transplanted in March or April. While plants usually bear for five or six years, it is advisable to start new ones occasionally. They do not, however, come wholly true from seed, and it is necessary to discard

a good many plants, a good many plants, using the best ones only for propagating. Plants bear next spring; the seed in two years. Set 2 to 3 feet apart in 3- to 5foot rows.

LARGE

most popular variety. Buds large, globular, deep green. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50. Strong roots of this variety, packed, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz. Postage 5c each; best sent by express.

JERUSALEM, OR TUBEROUS-ROOTED ARTICHOKE. Entirely distinct, and grown exclusively for their large potato-like roots, which are valuable for feeding hogs, the yield often exceeding two tons per acre. They need not be dug, but the hogs can be turned into the field to root them up; one acre will keep twenty head in good condition until Spring. The tubers are also edible, and are delicious when well cooked. Can supply January to March only. Per lb. 15c; postpaid, 25c per lb.; 10 lbs. by express \$1.00; 100 lbs. at market rates.

ASPARAGUS SEED AND ROOTS

It requires three or four years from the time of planting asparagus seed to the time that the plant produces shoots suitable for eating. To raise plants from seed about one pound per acre is required, or one ounce for about 800 plants. Sow early in the Spring in drills 12 to 14 inches apart and thin to about 3 inches in the row. Allow the plants to grow two full seasons and then transplant to permanent beds. It requires about 3000 plants to set an acre. When set out for crop, in the field or in beds, they require plenty of room, since the plants spread from the root, and therefore grow larger each year. In the field the rows should be from six to ten feet apart. A loose, porous soil is necessary for good asparagus, and the flavor of the young shoots depends greatly upon the character of the soil. The light, fibrous soils of the Sacramento River Islands seem especially adapted for perfect asparagus.

In the house garden, the soil, if naturally heavy and stiff, must be made porous and light by spading in the proper amount of manure and sand. During the Spring all the shoots must be cut as fast as they reach the surface. Later in the season all the shoots should be allowed to run to seed, and in the Autumn all the tops should be cut off and burned and the land thoroughly cleaned up, and a good dressing of manure and wood ashes and sand should be spaded in to the beds.

BARR'S MAMMOTE. A favorite with market gardeners. Shoots very large, tender, quick growing, and thick to the top. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; tender, quick growing, and thick to the top. 1b. 85c.

COLUMBIA MAMMOTH WHITE. A large, thick variety; very white even above ground. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 85c.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL OR A standard variety for all purposes, especially for complex BOULDIN ISLAND

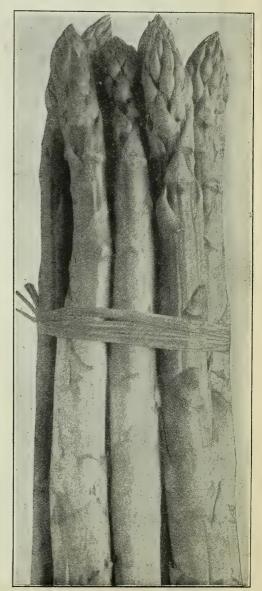
It is the popular variety for all purposes, especially for canning.

Bouldin Island and other river points in California, where it is canned in immense quantities. It makes large, thick, white shoots of delicious flavor, and we recommend it as the best variety for all purposes.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 85c.

This is the most popular variety grown for general garden purposes, especially for shipping. Shoots are light green and tinted slightly with pink (see illustration). Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 25c; 1b. 85c. **PALMETTO**

Large vigorous roots of Palmetto and Colossal, 25c per doz., postpaid; \$1.00 per ASPARAGUS ROOTS 100, by express; \$7.00 per 1000.



BEANS

DWARF OR BUSH—GREEN PODDED

In this class are the dwarf beans having green pods. The new est and best varieties are now absolutely stringless.

Beans require a light friable soil, with plenty of moisture, and they are very sensitive to frost. In California they should not be sown earlier than April 15th. In the garden the soil should be made mellow and rich, and kept so, and all pole varieties should be provided with poles or a trellis on which to climb. For a garden crop plant string beans in succession every four weeks throughout the season. Sow in rows 18 inches to 24 inches apart and cover from one to two inches deep but not more. Keep the pods picked and the vines well watered and the beans will continue bearing much longer than if the vines are allowed to become dry. Hoe the rows occasionally.

For farm crop plant about 25 pounds pole beans per acre, in rows 36 inches apart; plant bush beans about 35 pounds per acre in rows 24 inches apart. Heavy clay or adobe soils are not best for beans. For the home garden there should be a succession of five or six varieties to provide the table with early, medium and late beans. Use one pound of seed for 100 feet of row.

Express and freight charges are not prepaid. Write us for special quotations if large quantities are wanted.



MORSE'S SELECTED STRINGLESS GREEN POD

We have made a selection of this favorite bean which is absolutely stringless. Nor have any of its good qualities suffered. The pods are very tender and of the best quality—thick and meaty and long. The plant bears well and is a variety which will more than give satisfaction. Seed brown. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50.

CANADIAN WONDER. A hardy and thrifty variety bearing long green pods of fair quality. The seed is a rich mahogany red and very attractive. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; or lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00; by express or freight, charges to be paid by purchaser.

Early Long Yellow Six Weeks. podded green variety. Plants strong and vigorous and leaves large; of fair quality. Seed long, kidney-shaped, light-yellow with darker marks about the eyes. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

green-podded variety, with medium-sized, green, fleshy pods; seed drab, freely spotted with dark purple. The vines are smaller and of more up-right growth, and leaves a little larger than the Late Refugee. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

EXTRA EARLY RED VAL-

ENTINE A popular variety; erect vine with dark-green leaves. Pods of medium length; fleshy, round, and saddle-backed, with only slight strings. Seed pink, marbled with red. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

Early Mohawk. A hardy and early variety, with large, flat, dark-green pods with tapering points; seed long, kidney-shaped; drab, purple, and brown. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.10. \$1.10.

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Dwarf Horticultural. A very vigorous variety with large leaves, used as a shell bean, green or dried. Pods are of medium length, slightly curved, and when nearly ripe are striped and splashed with crimson on yellowish-brown; seed pale pink, splashed with bright red. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50.

Black Valentine. A long-podded green variety, especially recommended for shipping. Seed black. This variety is popular in some sections on account of its blight resisting qualities. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75.

In this state the bean crop is so far limited only by the amount that can be profitably sold—the best bean districts are in San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties. The California bean crop in 1910 was 2,600,000 sacks, and is being increased each year. Commercial plantings are made usually from May 10th to 25th.

ENGLISH OR BROAD WINDSOR. This is not a string bean of any sort, but a very well-known popular variety with many farmers. Familiarly known as the Horse Bean. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. 70c; 100 lbs. \$6.00.

French String Bean. A hardy green-pod-ded variety, with black seed. Is much esteemed by the Italian market-gardeners for a very productive string bean and a good shipper. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. 90c; 100 lbs.

Round Yellow Six Weeks. A large, vigorous, productive bean, with long, straight, flat, light-green pods; seed light-yellow, with marks darker about the eyes. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.10.

MORSE'S SELECTED REFUGEE, OR 1,000 TO 1

If there is any dwarf bean so prolific as Morse's Selection of Refugee we have never heard of it. As many as 150 pods are found on one vine. These pods are long and green, becoming lighter in color as they mature. Not an extra early bean but a hardy one and an extra heavy bearer. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by freight or express, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

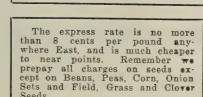
MORSE SEEDS GIVE RESULTS

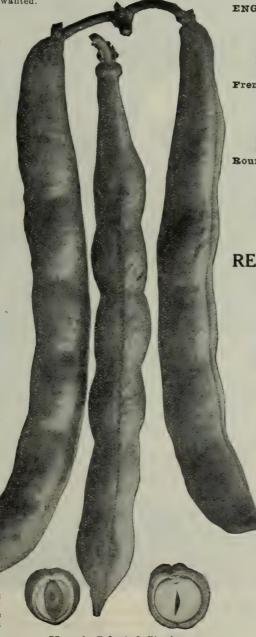
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Shanghai, 17/11/11.

To Messrs. Morse & Co.,

Dear Sirs :-Dear Sirs:—
You will be pleased to hear that I gained two First Prizes at the Shanghai Horticultural Show to-day (the Chrysanthemum Show) for Lettuces. The seed I bought from you and they are said to be some of the finest ever exhibited in Shanghai—Big Boston and Hanson. exhibited in Succession and Hanson.
Yours faithfully,
E. C. WINGRORL.





Morse's Selected Strain Stringless Green Pod Bush Bean

BEANS

DWARF OR BUSH—WAX PODDED

In this class are the dwarf beans, having creamy white, yellow and golden yellow pods. Most of the varieties we list as ringless. The choice of wax or green podded varieties is purely a matter of choice. Both classes are quite hardy and very easy to grow.



MICHIGAN WHITE WAX.

A hardy white seeded wax bean. It produces long, straight, goldenwax bean. It produces long, straight, golden-yellow pods, which are entirely stringless at all times. The plant is very erect and stands well in wet weather. Its quality is superior to almost any other wax bean, and it bears well, producing big crops. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

ALLENGE BIACK

ALLENGE BLACK
WAX. One of the
standard wax beans.
Of excellent quality
and very prolific. Pkt.
10c; lb. 30c, postpaid.
By express or freight,
lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75;
100 lbs. \$15.00. CHALLENGE

DETROIT WAX. One of the best of the better known and popular wax varieties. It is quite rust-proof and wax varieties. It is quite rust-proof and prolific and the quality of the stringless gold-en-yellow beans is ex-cellent. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By ex-press or freight, lb. 20c; 10. lbs. \$1.75.

Davis White Wax. The most hardy and pro-ductive wax-podded va-riety. The pods are ductive wax-podded variety. The pods are very long and yellow; and while not stringless, it is a remarkably, good bean for shipping; seed white and on this account is desirable for a shelled bean in winter. Pkt. 10c; per lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

MORSE'S GOLDEN

WAX One of the be st beans in cultivation. Pods are long, nearly straight, broad, and flat, and golden yellow; seed golden yellow; seed white more or less covered with two shades of purplish red. All gardens should have some bush beans in gardens should have some bush beans in them. None will be found better in all ways than Our Selection of Golden Wax. Pkt. 10c; per lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00. \$15.00.

Morse's Golden Wax Bush Beans

PROLIFIC BLACK WAX An improvement on the old Black Wax or Butter Bean. Very vigorous and prolific; pods fairly long, golden-yellow, very brittle, and stringless; seed black. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1 lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX. A strong growing bush

WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX. A strong growing bush, fifteen inches in height. A little later than the Golden Wax; pods long, broad, golden-yellow, brittle, and en-

tirely stringless. Market gardeners find this bean one of the most profitable. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c; postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

IMPROVED RUST-PROOF

Quite rust-proof and rather hardand rather hardand rather hardgolden Wax, and the pods are broader and flatter; seed white, somewhat spotted with purplish red. Pkt.
10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 20c;
10 1bs. \$1.75; 100 1bs. \$15.00.

POLE OR RUNNING BEANS

GREEN AND WAX PODDED

These beans require a pole or trellis to climb on, if planted in the garden, although when raised as a seed crop in the open field they need no support whatever. Pole beans are usually very prolific, and bear longer pods and a great many more of them than the bush varieties. For home garden use set the poles well in first, scrape the soil away to a depth of two inches and irrigate well. Then plant five to nine beans to each hill covering to a depth of one inch. Save only the best three or four plants. Pole Beans will continue bearing long after the earlier bush varieties have ceased. Hills should be 3 to 4 feet apart each way.

- Burger's Pole. A new pole variety of great merit. Bears long, brittle, stringless pods of excellent flavor. It rivals all other pole beans and is destined to become the most popular of all. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50; 100 lbs. \$13.00.
- Short, or Corn Hill. A popular variety for planting among corn, since the vines climb the corn-stalks without the use of poles. Pods short and green; leaves deep green; seed white, spotted freely with reddish brown. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.35; 100 lbs. \$12.00. Cut Short, or Corn Hill.
- Horticultural or Speckled Cranberry. An old favorite. Pods short, pale green, becoming splashed with brownish red. Seed blush, pink, spotted with red. Valuable either green or dry shelled. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 1bs. \$1.35; 100 1bs. \$12.00.
- Indian Chief or Tall Black Wax. A black-seeded wax variety with thick, golden-yellow pods. Very hardy and prolific, and the most popular of the pole wax beans. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$11.00
- KENTUCKY WONDER, OR OLD most popular HOMESTEAD of the pole varieties, and should be in every garden where beans are planted. It grows luxuriantly and bears for a long period. Pods are very long, very fleshy, and deeply creased or saddle-backed, green in color, and stringless. Kentucky Wonder is a bean that should be in every garden; for it will give satisfaction to all. Seed light brown. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00.
- Kentucky Wonder Wax. An excellent variety, and one of the very best pole beans. The pods are long, very thick, meaty, deeply saddle-backed, entirely stringless, and bright yellow in color. The vine is thrifty and very prolific. Seed deep brown. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50.
- Lazy Wife. A green-podded variety bearing good, long pods in clusters; stringless and of peculiarly fine flavor; seed rather large, thick and white. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50; 100 lbs. \$14.00.
- Scarlet Runner. The well-known and old-fashioned climber, hav ing bright scarlet, pea-like flowers. It not only holds its place as a flower, but the pods when young are of fine quality for cooking. Seed large, bright scarlet, heavily blotched with purple. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 25c.
- White Greaseback. An early, green-podded variety. Pods five to six inches in length, deeply creased or saddle-backed, and borne in clusters. Are very fleshy and stringless; seed white and can be used as a shelled bean for winter use. Can often be grown without poles. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$11.00.
- White Dutch Case Knife. A climbing variety with long, flat, irregular pods, which become creamy white as they mature; seed broad, flat and clear white. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 1bs. \$1.20; 100 1bs. \$10.00.

CALIFORNIA VEGETABLES

(Mailed postpaid for \$2.00)

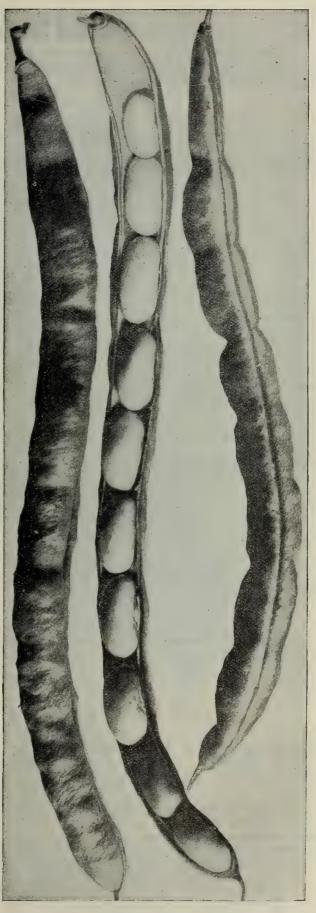
JUST PUBLISHED

For two years this work on gardening and vegetable growing in California has been awaited by many planters. The book is standard and authentic for California conditions and is most valuable. By Prof. E. J. Wickson, Dean in the College of Agriculture of the University of California

Danish Consulate, Yokohama, Japan.

I must again tell you that the flower and vegetable seeds you sent to me early this spring have proved **most satisfactory**, and I have had pleasure in recommending you to several friends.

F. H.



Kentucky Wonder Bean-Brittle, stringless, meaty, delicious flavor.

LIMA BEANS

Lima beans are delicious when used green shelled, and can be grown for this purpose in any climate. The dry ripened bean is also a staple article of food for winter use, but in California these beans ripen only from San Luis Obispo County and south to Pasadena. The best territory for seed beans we believe to be Santa Barbara and Ventura counties, where we grow our stock. Sow bush sorts in 24-inch rows and pole varieties in hills 4 ft. each way. Sow late after ground is well warmed in Spring.

BUSH VARIETIES

BURPEE IMPROVED BUSH This bean produces of pods, which measure from five to six inches long by one and one-quarter inches wide. As compared with the original Burpee Bush Lima, both pods and beans are very much larger, while the beans, either green or dry, are nearly twice as thick. The beans have the same luscious flavor as the best flavored Limas, and are ready to use six to eight days earlier. It will outyield the Burpee Bush Lima by fully one-third, this greater yield being due to the increased size of both pod and beans. The dried beans are very handsome and generally show a greenish-white coloring. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1 lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00.

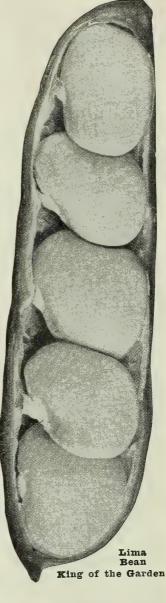
BURPEE'S BUSH. The best late dwarf variety. Plant eighteen to twenty-four inches high; very prolific. Pods large, and the beans are also large and heavily ribbed. Will bear until stopped by frost. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

Dreer's Bush or Kumerle. A very prolific variety, a little later than Burpee's and having short, thick pods, closely filled with short, almost round, seed. The plant does not grow upright, but spreads or trails over the ground about three feet in diameter. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lb. \$1.60; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

FORDHOOK BUSH

it most nearly resembles. Its height is from twenty-two to twenty-four inches and it bears its beans in clusters of two to five, well out from the plant on long spikes. There are from three to five beans in each pod, with an average of four. The beans are round and thick, like those of Dreer's Bush, and have the same mild, delicious flavor. This delicious bean is far ahead of anything which anybody has known in Lima Beans up to the present time. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1 lb. 25c; 10 lbs, \$2.00.

Henderson's Bush. The earliest variety we have, being fully two weeks earlier than any other variety. Plant about sixteen inches high and very prolific. Beans are small. Especially recommended for planting in the North and where the season is short. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1 lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.60; 100 lbs. \$15.00.



POLE VARIETIES

Challenger, Or Dreer's
Pole. A splendid pole
variety, quite early, very
prolific, and of very fine
quality. The pods are
borne in clusters, and the
beans are short and
thick, almost round, and
crowded so closely in the
pod that the ends are
flattened. A very popular
variety with market gardeners. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c,
postpaid; by express or
freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs.
\$1.60; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

of the newer varieties and the very best pole variety in cultivation. Vine very tall and strong; pods long and borne in clusters; beans large and white. Is early, stronggrowing and prolific. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

KING OF THE
GARDEN One of the
best and
most popular main crop
varieties. It is medium
early and has very long
pods 5½ to 6½ inches
long, which are well
filled with 4 or 5 goodsized beans. The pods
are very straight and
handsome, and the fine,
hardy vines bear abundantly. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 30c,
postpaid; by express or
freight, 1b. 20c; 10 1bs.
\$1.60; 100 1bs. \$15.00.
Sieberts Early. A standard

Sieberts Early. A standard early variety, with goodsized pods and large beans. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.60; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

SUGAR BEETS

Giant Half-Sugar, Green Top, for Feeding Stock. A beet which is superior to mangels for stock-feeding purposes, as it is more nutritious having a large amount of sugar. It is oval in shape and grows partly out of ground. Is of large size and yields enormous crops. Pkt. 10c; lb. 55c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

Klein Wanzeleben Sugar. The most popular variety for sugar factories. The sugar content depends on intelligent care and development on the part of the seed grower. It is wedge-shaped, wide at the top and tapering gradually to a long tail. This variety is most planted by sugar factories as it has a high sugar content; makes good food for cattle. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 60c, postpaid; by freight or express, 1b. 50c; 10 1bs. \$4.50.

Lane's Improved Imperial Sugar. Large thick, tapering variety. Yields almost as much as mangels. Is sweet and rich, and very desirable for stock. Pkt. 10c; lb. 60c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$450

Vilmorin's Improved Sugar. A little smaller than Klein Wanzeleben but even richer in sugar and a valuable variety for sugar factories. Grows entirely under ground and yields good crops, under ordinary conditions. Pkt. 10c; lb. 60c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50.

WHITE SUGAR A very hardy variety, producing large crops with little care. The root is large and very purposes, it makes a remarkably fine, rich food for stock. Pkt. 10c; lb. 60c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

C. C. Morse & Co.'s fields of Sweet Peas are world famous. Each year we grow between 300 and 400 acres of these beautiful flowers for sced. Where are you now getting your Sweet Pea seed? Are you getting the best? Have you tried our newest and finest varieties? See tages 74 and 75.

BEETS—FOR TABLE AND FARM

Beets are divided into three classes—TABLE, MANGELS, or STOCK-FEEDING, and SUGAR.

For table use the seed can be sown in California any time after January 1st, and a light sandy loam is preferable for good shaped roots of good color. The soil must be rich and moist to get a quick growth, which is essential to crisp, tender flesh. Sow in rows 12 to 18 inches apart and thin by using the small beets for greens until they stand 3 to 4 inches in the row.

TABLE VARIETIES

CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN

More globe-shaped than Extra Early Egyptian, and the best known and most popular variety; is very early and of fine quality. Bright red with clear vermlion flesh. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

DETROIT DARK RED

An extra fine beet, and the one we recommend for all garden purposes. Globe-shaped; bright, but rich red flesh. Tops small and green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ½ 1b. 60c; 1b. \$2.00.

Early Eclipse. A fine, early table beet, top-shaped or tapering, globe-shaped. Flesh deep crimson, zoned with pink. Crisp and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

Extra Early Blood Turnip. A good variety for Summer and Autumn use. Is turnip-shaped with bright red flesh, showing zones. Pkt. 5c; oz. flesh, showing zones. 1 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

Half Long Blood. A half-long variety, about eight inches long and tapering abruptly. Very rich, deep red flesh of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c; 1b. \$1.50.

Extra Early Egyptian. A turnip-shaped variety with dark-red flesh showing zones of a lighter shade. Dark leaves; a good table beet and very early. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; 1b. \$2.00.

tong smooth dark blood. A very desirable variety for light soils, where roots are easy to dig. Skin very dark brownish, red. Flesh deep very dark brownish; red. Flesh deep blood-red. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

MORSE'S IMPROVED BLOOD TURNIP

A turnip-shaped beet with deep red flesh. Tops green. A fine selected strain. The quality of Morse's Strain is unusually good; the texture being fine and even, and the roots superior in every way. We recommend this as most excellent sort for either home garden or market planting. The beets are regular and of finest appearance. Pkt. 5c: oz. 25c: 44 lb. 75c: lb. \$2.50. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.



Morse's Improved Blood Turnip Beet

FOR STOCK FEEDING. For main crop, sow about March 1st in rows 22 inches apart, using about six pounds of seed er acre. To get good, large and uniform beets, the plants should be thinned when in the fourth leaf to six inches apart per acre.

If large lots of seed are wanted, write us for special prices.

Champion Yellow Globe. A large round, orange-yellow variety. Good for shallow soils. Pkt. 10c; lb. 55c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

Giant Yellow Intermediate or Gate Post. A yellow-skinned variety with white flesh, zoned with yellow. Large and ovoid shape. Pkt. 10c; lb. 50c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

GOLDEN TANKARD YELLOW- Very large yell ow-FLESHED fleshed variety. Giant oval shape: small yellow-stemmed top. Golden Tankard is better adapted for heavy soils, because it is much more easily harvested than Mammoth Long Red. The yield is enormous. Pkt. 10c; lb. 55c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00. MAMMOTH LONG RED The largest of all heaviest cropper. Skin is red; flesh white, zoned with red. This variety produces a larger amount of good feed than any other beet, and is recommended as superior to all others. Pkt. 10c; lb. 55c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

Globe. A large globe-shaped variety with red skin. Flesh white, zoned with pink. Pkt. 10c; lb. 50c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

low Leviathan. A large yellow olive-shaped variety, with clear, white, brittle flesh. The root grows partly out of the ground, rendering it easy to dig. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 55c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 45c; 10 lbs. Yellow Leviathan.



Brussels Sprouts

SWISS CHARD or SEA KALE BEET

Sometimes called Spinach Beet. for greens for chickens by cutting the stem and leaf, which are also very ornamental. It resembles an ornamental beet top, but has no edible root. May be used as a salad. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

BROCCOL

Should be treated the same as cauli-flower, which it resembles. In fact, it is practically a coarse Summer cauliflower, more divided in the head, grows larger and taller, and is hardier and easier to

Plant and cultivate the same as cabbage or kale. EARLY LARGE WHITE. The best variety. Heads white and large. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; ½ lb. \$1.25; 1b. \$4.00.

cape. Good, large heads, which are tinged purple. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. Purple Cape.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

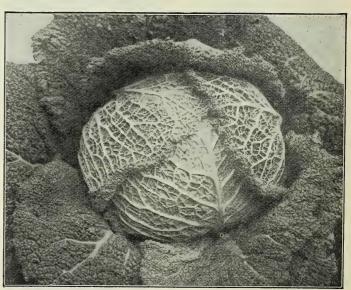
The plants are very hardy and grow from two to three feet high, bearing a large mass of leaves at the top. The sides of the main stem are covered with three or four dozen small cabbage heads, which are broken off and cooked the same as cabbage. Sow very early.

IMPROVED HALF DWARF. The standard variety. Grows two or three feet high, and the stem is well covered with small, firm, round sprouts. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c; lb.

CABBAGE

It is difficult to give definite cultural directions for cabbage, since it is possible to have good cabbage at all seasons of the year in some part of the country, and seed can be planted almost any time of the year. There are three good seasons for sowing the seed, however—in September for late Winter and early Spring cabbages, in March for Summer and Fall cabbages, and in June and July for Winter cabbages. The seed sprouts quickly, and is likely to come up very thick in the seed bed. It should be thinned early, or the plants become spindling, and then do not head well. Transplanted to the field, they should be put 15 to 18 inches apart, in rows 24 to 30 inches apart. To prevent the heads splitting open in the field before they are ready to be harvested, the plants should be loosened a little at the root. Cabbages require considerable moisture, but too much water causes them to rot very readily.





Swiss Chard

(White) Beet

Danish Ball Head Perfection Drumhead Savoy **EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES**

COPENHAGEN MARKET. A grand new early cabbage. See Novelties page 1. Pkt. 10c; oz. 65c; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

One of the best and most popular early varieties. Forms round, pointed heads of good size. Is very hardy and on account of its thick outside EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD leaves is able to resist cold and other unfavorable conditions to a great extent. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

EARLY WINNIGSTADT

A decidedly pointed head of good size and fine quality—the most sharply pointed of all cabbages. One of the hardiest varieties, resists cold, wet, and insect pests to a degree which makes it very desirable; we recommend it as one of the best early varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50. Early Spring. A v A very early flat-headed variety. Medium sized and good for summer use. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00;

Large Early Wakefield (Charleston). Is very similar to Early Jersey Wakefield, but nearly a third larger and a little later. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 90c; 1b. \$3.50.



Morse's Selected Strain-EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH CABBAGE.

SECOND EARLY VARIETIES

ALLHEAD EARLY. Probably the earliest of the large, flatheaded varieties. Is good for Summer, Autumn, and Winter crop. Desirable for all sorts of planting. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

DANISH ROUND HEAD. Splendid novelty. See page 1.

EARLY DRUMHEAD. Second early; round, flat heads. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

Early Dwarf Flat Dutch. A good flat-headed variety, with short stem and hard, firm head. Forms heads early; is valuable for Summer. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

Fottler's Brunswick. One of the most popular of the flat-headed types, especially with the home gardener. Best for fall and winter. Pkt. 5e; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 90c;

for fall and winter. PRt. 5c; 02. 30c; 74 lb. 3cc, 1b. \$3.00.

Henderson's Early Summer. A desirable medium sized, early, flat-headed variety. A good keeper, and does well in summer and autumn. Pkt. 5c; 02. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

Henderson's Succession. Is about ten days later than Early Summer. Is a dwarf, flat head, light green, and very solid. Pkt. 5c; 02. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

MORSE'S SELECTED EARLY FLAT

DUTCH An early hard-heading cabbage of bright turquoise green. Morse's Strain has been selected for its sure-heading qualities and for its earliness. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; ¼ 1b. \$1.50; 1b. \$5.00.

RED CABBAGE

Mammoth Rock Red. Best hard-headed, red variety. Large heads, globular, and very deep red on top. Outer leaves greenish. Especially used for pickling. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

CABBAGE—SAVOY

Perfection Drumhead Savoy. A variety that is much prized in Europe and also by those who are familiar with it in this country. It is very sweet and crisp, and always tender. Heads medium sized and fairly compact. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 90c; 1b. \$3.00.

WINTER VARIETIES

Autumn King, or Worldbeater. A beautiful winter variety

of vigorous growth and extra large. Solid heads of bluish green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ½ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

Burpee's Surehead. One of the best varieties. Large, round, slightly flattened head; hard and firm. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

DANISH BALL HEAD, OR THE HOLLANDER

A very late variety, forming globular heads; very hard and solid. Keeps well and is a good shipper. The color is bluish-green.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; ¼ lb. \$1.20; lb. \$4.50.

Premium Plat Dutch. A well-known, large, late variety. Flattish round heads, very solid and firm; has rather tall, stout stem. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

Stone-Masson Marblehead. Medium-sized, late, flat-headed variety, forming a good, solid head. The leaves are bright green, with conspicuous veins. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00.

We carry Cabbage Plants at various seasons. See list on page 39.

A plant bearing a large mass of leaves on the top of a stout stalk. It is a species of cabbage, and the flavor is the same. It bears leaves all through the wniter, and is used especially in the South for cabbage greens. Young plants may be started in boxes in early spring, and the young plants transplanted, allowing plenty of room for each plant. Set 14x18 inches.

TRUE GEORGIA. Grows from four to five feet high, and forms a very large, loose head. Leaves are tinged with purple. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

FETTICUS SALAD OR CORN

A salad plant used as a substitute for lettuce in salads, or may be cooked like spinach for greens. It does well in winter and spring. On rich soil the leaves grow quickly and are exceedingly tender.

Large Leaved. Very tender leaves, which grow out rapidly after being cut.

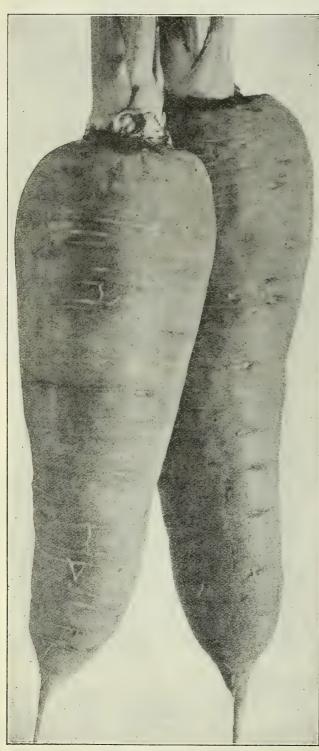
Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

Morse's Carrots

FOR TABLE AND STOCK

Good, sandy loam is best adapted for carrots of all varieties. The shorter varieties, however, can be sown on heavier lands, with good results. For garden, sow the early and short varieties at any time after January 1st. For general crop sow in the open field about April 1st, using two or three pounds per acre for rows sixteen to eighteen inches apart. While you get a good uniform root by thinning the young plants, it is not necessary to do so to get a crop of good, average carrots.

chantenay, or Model. A fine, even shaped carrot of a bright orange-scarlet color; very popular variety for general purposes, five to six inches long; very stump-rooted, about three inches thick at shoulder; tapering slightly. This



Carrot-Danver's Half Long

slightly. This variety is well called the Model Carrot for its shape and color are perfect and well suited for market planting and for every home garden. Of fine tender texture, without core, and excellent flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

French Forcing.
This is the small round
French carrot

Carrot-Oxheart (Much reduced)

so much prized for its sweet flavor and tenderness, it is the smallest and earliest carrot there is. A very popular variety for forcing and home gardens, because it ripens early and is of fine flavor. The root is globe-shaped, with distinct tap root. Color bright orange-scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

DANVER'S HALF LONG Danver's Carrot is the best variety for general purposes and the most largely used not only for stock raising, but for table use as well. The perfect type is about eight inches long and about two and a half inches wide at the shoulder, tapering to a sort of half-point at the bottom. Color is a bright orange-scarlet. It is a very heavy cropper. As grown from Morse's Seed is an even ripening sort with roots of a uniform size. When just undersized this is an especially sweet flavored sort on which account it is so largely grown. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Half-Long Scarlet Stump Rooted. A variety about as long as

Half-Long Scarlet Stump Rooted. A variety about as long as Danver's but not so thick. It is of uniform thickness from shoulder to root, and very stump-rooted. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

IMPROVED SHORT WHITE. The most popular of all white varieties, being a heavy cropper, and of a desirable shape to allow easy digging in heavy soils. The true type is very thick in the middle and should not taper abruptly from the shoulder. Makes also excellent food for horses. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 25c; 1b. 85c.

Large White Belgian. The best known white variety—is a long-pointed root, and should only be planted on light soils where roots are fairly easy to dig. The variety we offer does not grow above ground with a green shoulder as do some strains.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Scarlet Horn, or Early Short Horn. No variety is better or sweeter for table use than Scarlet Horn. When full grown it is 3 inches long and 2½ inches thick at the shoulder; tapers only slightly. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

LONG ORANGE The best long variety, and a good, heavy cropper for light soils where roots can be easily dug. The strain we offer is a bright orange-scarlet, and fairly thick, and grows entirely under ground, having no green shoulder. Has the brightest color of all the red carrots. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

OXHEART, OR GUERANDE One of the most popular and heaviest croppers among the short carrots. The shape is particularly desirable for heavy soils. The true type is about 4½ inches long and 3½ inches thick at the shoulder. It tapers slightly to the bottom, and is very stump-rooted. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Red Saint Valery, or New Intermediate. A little longer than Danver's, tapering abruptly, with pointed root. A very desirable, long variety, and rather preferable to Long Orange, being thicker at the shoulder and not so long. Color bright orange-scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

CAULI-**FLOWER**

The culture of cauliflower is much the same as that of cabbage. It does not make a good summer crop, however, as it will not head up well in hot weather. It is especially popular as a fall and winter crop, and with market gardeners proves a profitable crop, owing to the scarcity of good market vegetables when cauliflower is at its best. It is easy to grow in the garden, providing the soil is made rich and porous. The young plants should be thinned, since they become very spindling if allowed to grow too thick. Set in 24-inch rows 14 inches apart.

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Algiers. One of the best late varieties, forming good, large white heads, late in the fall. Pkt. 10c; ½ 0z. 25c; oz. 75c; ½ 1b. \$2.50.

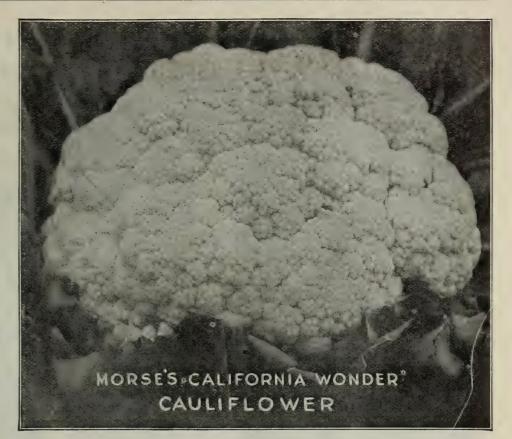
Dry Weather. A strain of the Early Snowball type, which is especially adapted to California. Pkt. 20c; ½ 0z. 75c; oz. \$2.50; ½ 1b. \$8.00.

CALIFORNIA WONDER

The Cauliflower which does well The Cauliflower which does well in this climate, always heading with large solid heads. Leaves large and long and may be tied over the head for protection. Late and of fine quality. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; oz. 75c; ¼ 1b. \$2.50.

52.50.

Early Pavorite. An early, hard-heading variety. It is quite hardy and a good market variety. Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 35c; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb.



EARLY SNOWBALL The best and most popular early variety grown.

There is a vast difference in the strains of this variety offered but what we offer is the best imported stock. Those who have had trouble with cauliflower should try this Snowball. It will make uniformly fine heads even under adverse conditions. Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. 75c; oz. \$2.50; ¼ 1b. \$9.00. Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt. Is very early and almost as good as the best quality of Snowball. Pkt. 20c; ¼ oz. 65c; oz. \$2.25; ¼ 1b. \$8.00.

Extra Early Paris. A hardy variety quite easy to grow, and forming good heads. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; oz. 75c; ¼ 1b. \$2.50.

sch's Autumn Giant. A large, late variety, very hardy, but especially desirable for the South. Pkt. 5c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 15c; oz. 50c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50. Veitch's Autumn Giant.



Golden Self-Blanching or Paris Golden Celery

CELERY

Celery is essentially a market crop, and is not usually recommended for the home garden on account of the more than usual trouble required to grow it as a vegetable. The real trouble and care, however, is likely to be exaggerated, and the value of having delicious, fresh celery on one's table compensates in a large measure for all the care required in growing it.

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Celery requires water, and lots of it, from the time the seed is sown in boxes in March, until it is pulled in the autumn or winter. The seed is slow to germinate, and the soil where it is planted needs to be kept very wet. As soon as the young plants are about one and one-half inches high they should be transplanted to get good, sturdy plants before they are finally set in the garden or field. When the plants begin to grow vigorously, the soil needs to be drawn up around the plants, first tying them at the top or wrapping with a piece of sacking to prevent the earth getting between the stems. As fast as the plants grow above the soil, the earth wants to be hilled around them again to get a full growth of well-blanched stems. The great celery growing centers are located in swampy, peat districts. Use one ounce of seed to 15,000 plants, or two ounces per acre. Set in 24-inch to 30-inch rows.

Dwarf Golden Heart. Rather tall, forming a large bunch, and blanching white and crisp. Is hardy and a good shipper. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

nt Pascal. Rather tall with stems nearly round, and when blanched is white, brittle, and especially good flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50. Giant Pascal.

amazoo. A medium-short, dark green variety; very hardy; blanches easily, and ships well. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50. Kalamazoo.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING, OR PARIS GOLDEN The best market

variety especially for early crop. The plant is naturally golden-yellow (both stem and leaves) but needs to be blanched to make it brittle and fit for table use. Forms a rather small bunch. French grown. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.50; ½ 1b. \$5.00.

WHITE PLUME

A comparatively easy variety to grow, as it is fairly hardy, and being naturally white is easy to blanch. The leaves are also white, tinted with green at tips. Forms a medium-sized bunch and is fairly tall; early.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 14, 1b. 75e; 1b. \$3.00.

WINTER QUEEN One of the best winter varieties, and we recommend it especially to market gardeners. It is tall and forms a large bunch. The leaves are light green which blanch to a creamy white. Grows a thick, solid, heavy stalk with a large heart. Ptt. 5c; or. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. 42.50.

Celery Seed for Flavoring. (Soup Celery). ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. 50c. Perfection Heartwell. A good, green winter variety, tall, forming a large bunch. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

CELERIAC, OR TURNIP ROOTED CELERY

Grown for the edible root and not for greens.

Giant Smooth Prague. The best variety. Forms a good, thick root, as much as four inches in diameter and nearly globular. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

CORN SWEET OR TABLE VARIETIES

As corn is very sensitive to frost, it cannot be planted with any degree of safety until about the middle of April, except in sections that are notably free from late frost. Moist, rich soil is best for corn, and frequent hoeing or cultivating improves it. The small but rich mountain valleys seem especially favorable for good table corn.

In cutting corn for the table it is important that it be picked at just the right time, especially when not too old. Frequent small plantings of the several varieties in succession will keep a good supply available for the table all summer. Plant in hills 3 feet each way. Do not let the plants overcrowd.

Express or freight charges are not prepaid.

If large quantities are wanted, write us for special quotations.

Black Mexican, One of the best medium early varieties. Although when ripe the seed is dark bluish or black, when ready for table use it is white. It is of especially fine sweet flavor and very tender. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 1bs. \$1.00; 100 1bs. \$9.00.

Golden Bantam. A very

Early Red Cob Cory

100 lbs. \$9.00.
len Bantam. A very
early variety. The
ears are but medium
size, but are thickly
set with delicious yellow kernels. The Golden Bantam. set with delicious yellow kernels. The quality of this variety is superb, and it has become a general favorite early sweet corn with all who favorite early sweet corn with all who have tried it. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postvaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

CROSBY'S EARLY

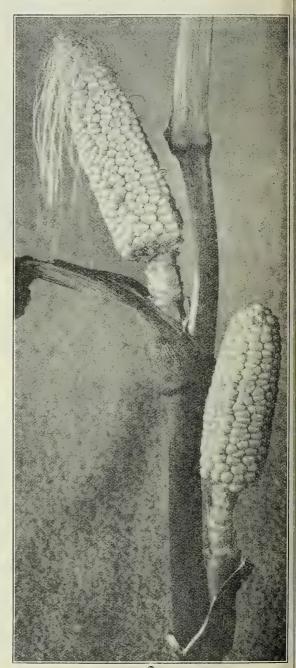
A fine, early variety, growing about 4 feet in height. Kernels growing about 4 feet in height. Kernels smaller than on Red Cob Cory and very popular. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by ex-press or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

MORSE'S GOLD-EN CREAM

The flavor of Morse's Golden Cream is rich nut-like and delicious and better than other corns. than other corns.
It is good enough to eat raw. Morse's Golden Cream is early, prolific and a fine sort; seed yellow. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2 00.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN OR SHOE PEG

One of the best of the late varieties. Has long white sely filled cob. closely long small "shoe peg" kernels. Is remarkably fine flavored and sweet, and is fre-quently used by canners. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 \$10.00.



Morse's Golden Cream

FARLY RED COB CORY. One of the best extra early varieties. Ears are about six inches long, and eightrowed and well filled. This variety does especially well in the Coast counties. We have customers who will not plant any other Sweet Corn than Red Cob Cory. Frkt. 10c; 1 lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

Stalks about five feet high; ears long and eight rowed. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00. EARLY MINNESOTA

Early White Cob Cory. An extra early variety with remarkably white grains, especially when cooked. Ears are six to seven inches long. Kernels are large. Of good quality. Fkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

EARLY MAMMOTH, OR ALAMEDA

The very best variety for practically all California, and the one most generally used here. Forms very large ears, which are quite sweet and of fair quality. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$8.00.

SWEET CORN—Continued

Late Mammoth. A mammoth variety, with very long, thick ears, which are covered with very wide thick kernels. Has the largest ears of any variety. Is very late. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs.

Moore's Early Concord. A medium early variety. Ears are rather short and well filled with 14 to 16 rows of kernels. A good variety for private garden or for canning. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00. 100 lbs. \$9.00.

old Colony. A very fine late corn and worthy of a place in the garden; sweet flavor and small kernels; 16 to 20 rows. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs.

STABLER'S EARLY we recom-this as the finest small kerneled early sweet corn. Medium sized, prolific; white, meaty kernels. The kind of sweet corn which one most likes. An excellent table sort. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN T h e popular and best main crop variety and the best all-round table variety. Of good, strong growth, about 6 feet high. Ears keep in condition for boiling for a remarkably long time. The quality is excellent. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

White Evergreen. Like Stowell's Evergreen, it is a good main crop variety, but has the remarkable quality of being snowwhite. It is invaluable for canners, market gardeners, and all who desire a good evergreen corn. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 25c, postpaid; by express or freight, 1b. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

FIELD CORN

Extra Early Adams. The earliest of all corn and the first to make ears. Plant dwarf and stocky and grains of fair quality. Pkt. 10c; lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. 90c; 100 lbs. \$3.00.

Early Adams. Although not a sweet corn, can often be used as such on account of its fine, white kernels, which are quite sweet and tender. Is very hardy and can be planted earlier than the early varieties of sweet corn. Pkt 10c; lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lbs. 90c; 100 lbs. \$3.00.

Early Eight-Rowed Canada, also known as the Yellow Flint. A rapid growing, early variety, and for this reason largely used for replanting. Very valuable where the seasons are short. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

g Phillip. An old New England favorite. The ears are long, and the variety is very early; copper red in color. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

Early Golden Dent, or Pride of the North. A very early dent variety, and especially valuable on account of its extreme earliness. Ears 8 to 10 inches long, with 10 to 16 rows of slender, deep yellow grains. Lb. 20c postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

LEAMING A very popular, tall-growing variety. Is early, stalks are leafy, making excellent fodder. Kernels are long and deep golden yellow. It is the best yellow corn on the market. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.



Early Mammoth or Alameda Sweet The best all-round sweet corn for California.

White Cap Yellow Dent. An early and hardy variety, growing 6 to 7 feet in height. Ears are 8 to 10 inches in length. Cob small and 16 to 18 rowed. The outer end of the grain is white, while the inner portion is clear yellow. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

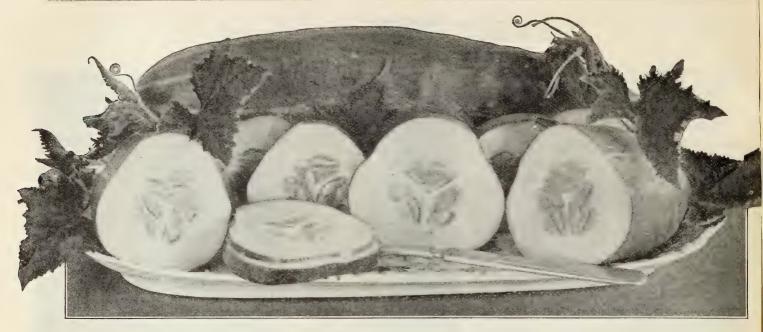
SANFORD WHITE FLINT An early, tall vacears which are well filled with long, pure white kernels. The very best white corn on the market. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

Wisconsin White Dent. A tall-growing variety; large eared; 16 to 18 rowed; grains large and white. Lb. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$5.00.

Sweet Corn for Fodder. As this corn is always wanted in large quantities, write us for special quotations.

POP CORN, WHITE RICE The most popular lific; ears short; kernels long, resembling rice in shape; color white. Lib. 20c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 80c.

Kaffir Corn Broom Corn See Field Seeds. Page 44.



CUCUMBER-Arlington White Spine.

Morse's CUCUMBERS

Are sensitive to frost, and cannot be planted until the last of April. They require a great deal of water, and unless planted on very wet soil, will require frequent irrigation throughout the summer. Plant in hills four feet each way, dropping about twelve seeds in each hill. Later when plants are well started, thin out, leaving only four or five of the strongest plants to each hill. Sow one-half inch deep. The soil should be made very rich with well-rotted stable manure, well spaded in.

Cucumbers are very easy to grow, and a few hills will produce an abundance for an average family. The Cucumbers should be gathered when large enough for use, whether required or not; if left to ripen, it destroys their productiveness. For pickles, plant from June until the middle of July.

MORSE'S ARLINGTON WHITE When you this SPINE in your garden, you will agree that we have here a selection that is a perfect cucumber. It is dark green in color, very straight and even in shape. Morse's White Spine is 7 to 8 inches long, is early and can be forced, and also is a most excellent garden cucumber. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Chicago Pickling. Is the most popular pickle variety in use about Chicago. Medium sized, dark green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Cool and Crisp. A fine garden cucumber, deep green and crisp. Is of the White Spine type, pure white when ripe. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c; 1b. \$1.25.

Cumberland Pickling. Is covered all over with the small spines so much liked in pickles. The large fruits are straight and 9 to 10 inches long with blunt, rounded ends and are good for slicing. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Early Cluster. A very productive variety, bearing its fruit in clusters of two or three. The fruit is short and very dark green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b, 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Early Short Green, or Early Frame. A yery desirable variety for either pickling or table use. Fruit straight, small at each end; bright green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

non. A prolific little garden cucumber, nearly round, of delicious flavor and often eaten as radishes are. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.00. Lemon.

Everbearing. rbearing. Very early and very prolific. Fruits 4 to 6 inches long; quite thick and blunt at the ends and of a rich, dark-green color. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Extra Early Green Prolific, or Boston Pickling. A very prolific variety, used principally for pickles. Fruit medium sized, bright green, very even and symmetrical. Gather the fruit when small and it will bear all summer. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Extra Long White Spine, or Evergreen White Spine. A popular variety having long, rich dark-green fruits with very tender white, and crisp flesh. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 1b. 35c; 1b. \$1.25.

Fordhook Famous. A long White Spine variety, growing from 10 to 12 inches in length. Fully as long as Long Green and of equally good quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.50.

Gherkin, or West India Gherkin. An extremely small fruited variety, grown exclusively for pickles. It has no value for slicing; is very prickly, but tender and crisp if picked when young. Seed germinates slowly. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

Japanese Climbing. A good variety for training to a trellis. Forms long fruit of rich, dark-green color. The flesh is white, crisp, and of good flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.50.

LONG GREEN The skin is of a deep green, and the flesh is solid, crisp, and of fine quality. We have the very best strains of this variety and recommend it as much the best cucumber of all, and the variety every one should plant. The best known and most popular variety for general use. Is vigorous and productive, and forms fruit fit for use almost as early as the shorter varieties. The mature fruit is almost 12 inches long. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.25.

CHERVIL

Can be planted any time in the early spring. The leaves should be kept cut, and if not allowed to run to seed, will keep green for a long time. Is more finely curled and handsome than parsley, and makes an excellent plant for garnishing.

led. Very finely curled, somewhat resembling parsley and used in same manner. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; Curled.

CHIVES

A plant resembling a tuft of grass, but the leaves have the flavor of onions. The leaves are used in soups and salads giving a mild onion flavor to same. **Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c.** See plants of chives listed under vegetable plants, page 39.

Live Oak, Calif., October 29, 1912.

"Will you please send me one of your late catalogues as a friend of mine praised your plants and seeds highly."

Mrs. B. M. Sweeney.

CHICORY

Used as a substitute for coffee when the roots are dried and ground. The roots are also used for cooking and are very palatable. Sow early in the spring in 18-inch rows, thin the young plants to six inches, and keep well hoed. The plant spreads from the root and is perennial.

Large Rooted, or Coffee. The largest rooted and best variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

CRESS

There are two species of cress, as noted below. The first named should be sown in drills about 16 inches apart in rich ground, early in the spring. Several sowings should be made at intervals to secure a succession. Watercress should be sowed along the banks of running water where there is good soil, and after the seed is up it needs no further cultivation, since the plants spread over the water and make a mass of fine, edible

Fine Curled (Pepper Grass). Leaves finely cut or curled like parsley. The leaves are pungent, and are used to mix with lettuce. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb.

e Water. Forms a plant, the leaves of which are used for salad or for garnishing. Thrives only when the roots and stems are submerged in water. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ¼ 1b. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50. True Water.

DANDELION

An easily grown plant, now much esteemed for greens, which are cooked like mustard and spinach. Sow the seed in May or June on good rich soil, and thoroughly cultivate, when the leaves will be ready to cut the following spring. An ounce will sow 200 feet of row.

Improved Large Leaved. The largest leaved and best cutting variety. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c; ¼ 1b. \$2.00.

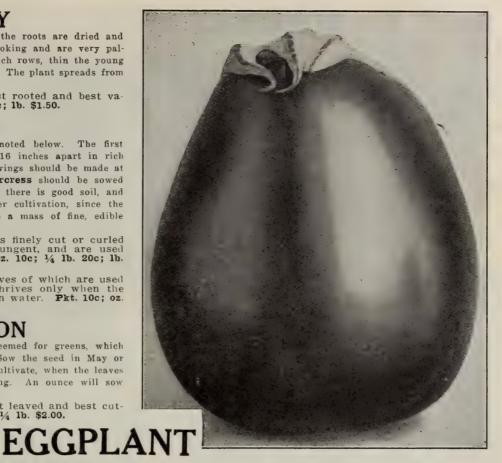
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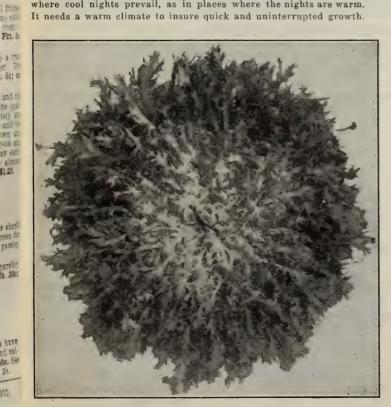
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Black Beauty Eggplant

The seed germinates slowly and should be started under glass, with moderately high temperature, about March 1st. When about 3 inches high transplant carefully to the garden or field, but not until all danger of frost is over. Eggplant does not do so well where cool nights prevail, as in places where the nights are warm. It needs a warm climate to insure quick and uninterrupted growth.



Green Curled Endive

BLACK BEAUTY Rich purple black in color and a remarkable market variety. Is early and makes also a fine sort for the home garthe home garden. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00.

Early Long Purple. An early variety and also a very profitable one. The fruit is long and thin and of a rich dark purple. Pkt.. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

NEW YORK IMPROVED The principal market variety; plants LARGE PURPLE are large and spreading; fruit large and of deep rich purple. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

Black Pekin. An early, prolific variety, and valuable for market gardeners' use. Fruit is nearly round; skin smooth and black. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

ite Pearl. A smooth-leaved variety with large, egg-shaped, pure white fruit. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50. White Pearl.

ENDIVE

A salad vegetable which is becoming very valuable for winter use. The seed should be sown in June or July in 18-inch rows, and thinned to about six inches apart. When quite well grown, the outer leaves should be tied, thus blanching the inner leaves and the heart. It is hardly palatable until after frost, being rather bitter if used in summer.

BROAD-LEAVED BATAVIAN, OR ESCAROLE A variety having wide, thick leaves, straight at the edges and curved toward the center. Color dull green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

GREEN CURLED

Has very curly leaves, the midrib being wide and whitish and the outer edges very much indented and crested. A very attractive plant, and one of the very best varieties.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Staghorn. A curly type, the lobes and divisions of the leaves being wider than in the curled varieties. Is a popular garden sort in San Francisco. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

White Curled. A light yellowish-green variety; very curly and quite ornamental. A good variety for general use. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

KALE, OR BORECOLE

A species of cabbage, forming a mass of leaves, some varieties being very beautiful and curly. The leaves are cooked as greens. The seed should be planted in September, and the plants will be ready to use in the winter. It is hardy and will withstand frost and specific productions.

DWARF CURLED SCOTCH The most popugeneral use. The leaves are very tender. Color bright green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 35c; 1b. \$1.00.

Green Curled Scotch, Tall. Grows about 2½ feet high. Is very curly and makes a beautiful plant. Quality is the best. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 35c; 1b. \$1.00.

Dwarf Purple German. Similar to Dwarf Curled Scotch, excepting the leaves are purple. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

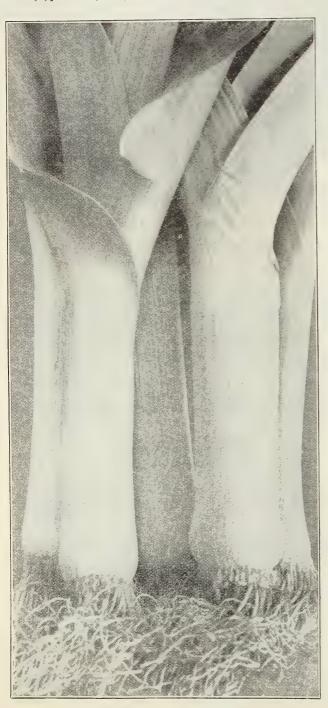
JERSEY KALE OR THOUSAND

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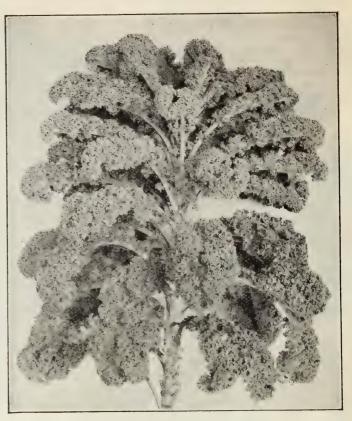
HEADED smooth leaves. Especially used for chickens. Furnishes lots of green feed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Siberian. A very large plain-leaved variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1/4 lb.

15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.



Morse's American Flag Leek



Tall Green Curled Scotch Kale

KOHL RABI

A plant forming a firm bulb above the ground and bearing short leaves. The bulb is the edible part, and when cooked tastes very much like turnip. If the seed is sown early, the young bulbs will be ready to use in spring, and a planting in July will secure good vegetables for fall use. The seed should be planted in the open garden in 18-inch rows and the young plants thinned to four or six inches. It does not transplant well, unless when very small.

EARLY WHITE VIENNA The most desirable variety for general use. Is very early and has small tops. Color, light silvery green. very early and has small tops. Col Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ lb. 70c; lb. \$2.25.

Early Purple Vienna. Has a bright purple bulb, much liked in Germany. The leaf and stems are green and tinged with purple. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 70c; lb. \$2.25.

een. A popular table variety, having a light green Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.75. Large Green. bulb.

MORSE'S LEEKS

A species of onion which does not form a bulb, but is used for its mild and delicious root, stem or neck. It can be planted in 16-inch rows, and the young plants thinned to about four inches. When well grown, hill up with earth to get a long white stem. Seed should be planted in June for good plants in the Fall and Winter. Leek is a vegetable of unusual merit, and is not half appreciated by the American people, while it is regarded as a great favorite by many of our foreign people. population.

MORSE'S AMERICAN FLAG The best leek there is with long, large stems, which are sweet and white when properly blanched; vigorous grower. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 90c; 1b. \$3.00.

Carentan. The largest variety,, though the stems are not so long as some others. Leaves are very broad. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 90c; 1b. \$3.00.

.NT MUSSELBURGH. Thick, long stems, of sweet, mild flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. 90c; lb. \$3.00. GIANT MUSSELBURGH.

MARTYNIA, OR UNICORN PLANT

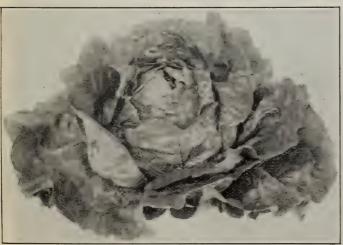
The young pods are much esteemed for pickles, but must be pickled young, since they become very hard and flinty with age. Sow in hills after all danger of frost is over. The plant grows to about five or six feet in diameter, and is very ornamental.

boscidea. The common variety. Flowers creamy white with dark purple throat. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. 85c; 1b. \$3.00. Proboscidea.



Market Gardeners find Morse's Lettuce Seed thoroughly reliable and Lettuce a profitable crop.

Lettuce is represented by four distinct classes or types—by the thick-leaved, smooth-edged cabbage-heading type; the curly and thin-leaved, tight-heading, crisp type; the curly and thin-leaved bunching or non-heading type, and the Cos or celery type. There are early, medium early, and late varieties of each type, as well as those especially adapted for greenhouse, hotbed, Winter, Spring, Summer, and Autumn uses. There is so great a difference in localities in regard to the value of lettuce, that a uniform rule of culture cannot be adopted. For the ordinary house garden, it is desirable to use one variety of each type, and several plantings should be made to secure a succession. The seed should be planted in rows eighteen inches apart, as early as possible, and the young plants of cabbage varieties should be thinned to 6 or 8 inches apart. Varieties that do not head may be left quite thick, and thinned out as used.



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Big Boston Lettuce.

BIG BOSTON A popular market variety, used largely in the South to grow Winter lettuce for Northern markets. A light-green cabbage variety, slightly tinged with brown in the head. Has a particularly fine golden buttery head. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Black Seeded Simpson. A bunching variety, forming no definite head. It has a large mass of fine brittle leaves of a light-green attractive color. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Black Seeded Tennisball. An old, well-known variety. Very desirable for hotbed culture in Winter and for withstanding heat in Summer. A light-green cabbage sort, forming hard heads. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25. variety, use Winter

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tion Market. The well-known and popular hothouse variety of New England. Needs to be quickly grown to be of good flavor. Light-green cabbage variety, slightly tinged with brown on the head. Forms a compact, buttery head. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25. Boston Market.

CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER or Boyal

Cabbage. A very popular variety for Autumn and Winter use. Forms a very large head, which is very buttery, and of a rich golden-yellow inside. The leaves are thick and bright green, slightly tinged with brown on top of head, and the outer leaves are slightly spotted with inconspicuous brown spots. Easy to grow and a good shipping variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.



Los Angeles Lettuce-Crisp and delicious

con. A large cabbage variety having thick, bright-green leaves; forms a large, buttery head; very bright golden-yellow inside. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Denver Market. A handsome variety, forming tight, conical heads. The leaves are very deeply savoyed, and even the outside leaves are tender and crisp. Color is light-green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

Drumhead, or Malta. Sometimes called "Chinese" lettuce.
A very large, tight-heading variety. Leaves are rather coarse, but very brittle and tender. Is dark-green and slightly curled. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Early Curled Simpson. A loose-bunching sort, forming no definite head. Is crisp and tender; light green in color. Is very hardy and easy to grow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Grand Rapids. The well-known forcing variety for the middle West, where butter-headed or cabbage varieties do not grow well under glass. Is a loose-bunching variety, forming no definite head. Is extremely curly, and its light yellowish-green color makes it very attractive. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

HANSON

A fine, large-heading variety. Leaves curled on the edges; light yellowish-green in color. The head is crisp and brittle, and flavor excellent. Is the very best house garden variety in existence, and much the finest variety of its class. Hanson is similar to the famous Los Angeles lettuce listed below, but is larger and lighter green; an extra fine sort. Allow 12 inches for each head. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c; 1b. \$1.50.

Hubbard's Market. A large cabbage variety, forming a solid head, buttery and yellow inside, and of very fine flavor. Color light-green. Is a favorite in some markets. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Iceberg. A large-heading variety; crisp and brittle, and color bright green, lightly tinged with brown on top of the head; leaves curled on the edges. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

LOS ANGELES, OR NEW YORK. A large, crisp, tight-heading lettuce which is a great favorite in the markets of Los Angeles and San Francisco. This is a lettuce much raised around New York whence its name was taken. The quality is the finest, and is an excellent lettuce for the garden. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

MAXIMUM, OR IMMENSITY A very large needing variety; one of the largest of the cabbage sorts. It is especially adapted for planting in the Fall and Winter, and makes a fine tender buttery head. A number of our best local market gardeners have been growing it and find it unsurpassed for a fine heavy shipping variety.

Prof. R. E. Mansell of the Experiment Station at the University of California, who plants a very large number of samples annually, pronounces Maximum as entitled to lead the list of all lettuces. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Mammoth Black Seeded Butter. A very large, green cabbage-heading variety similar to Salamander, but a third larger. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

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MAY KING

A very early new variety, forming fine hard heads within a few weeks after planting. It is medium-sized, light green, with buttery but crisp heads. There is just a faint tint of brown on the head.

We have had no end of praise from our friends and customers who have tried this variety. It is essentially a Spring sort and does well all Summer. Being of rapid growth and quick heading it is especially recommended for home garden and is universally esteemed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

PRIZE HEAD. One of the very best loose-bunching or non-heading varieties. Leaves brown, very curly, and of remarkably fine flavor. Grows quickly and all except the outer row of leaves are very brittle. It is probably the most easily grown lettuce in cultivation. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Salamander. One of the most popular varieties for with-

Salamander. One of the most popular varieties for with-standing heat. Medium size, light green, and forms a hard, buttery head of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;

1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

PASSION The most popular variety among California and New Orleans market gardeners. A medium-sized cabbage, butter-heading sort. We have the best and truest stock of this variety that can be obtained. It is especially recommended as a garden lettuce for our climate. It heads well, and bears shipping remarkably well, since it revives nicely after wilting. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50. \$1.50.

THE MORSE

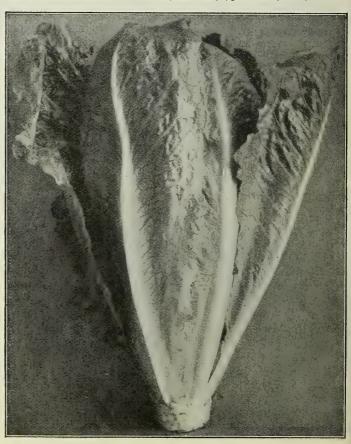
A large, loose-bunching or non-heading variety forming a large bunch of leaves which are very crisp and of fine flavor. In color it is a light green and very attractive. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

White Seeded Tennis Ball. This variety is the same as Boston Market, which see for description. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

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White Summer Cabbage. The oldest and best known cabbage-heading variety. Forms a medium-sized, hard head of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

WHITE PARIS COS The best of the Cos or celery varieties. Forms a large, light-green plant with the head well folded and quite solid. Cos lettuce is also called Romaine, and is very popular with our foreign population, for it is highly prized in England and France, while little known to our own people. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.



MUSKMELON OR CANTALOUPE

Plant hills in rich, moist land, using one ounce to 100 hills, or two to three pounds per acre. Six feet each way is a good distance for the hills. Sow the seed after all danger of frost is over, and do not cover deeply. Muskmelons require plenty of water, and if conditions are favorable, will make a strong vigorous growth, and most varieties bear heavily. It is best to pick off the early runners to make the plant more stocky and thick. Wherever possible, melons should be grown in the home garden, for the charm of a good melon is in getting it fresh from the garden and direct to the table.

ACME, OR EARLY BALTIMORE. One of the best all-round melons in cultivation, and recommended for its uniform shape and size and fine quality. Is slightly pointed at stem end, is long and oval, somewhat ribbed and coarsely netted. The flesh is thick, green, and very Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

View. A standard variety. Fruit large, oblong, heavily ribbed and netted. Flesh light green and of good flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

BURRELL'S GEM OR DEFENDER Many like grained, smooth salmon-red fleshed muskmelon. Such a one is Defender, the best of this sort; medium sized, oval; deeply netted and of an entirely distinct and delicious flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

Extra Early Citron. Fruit ball-shaped, skin green, and flesh light green. Very early, medium-sized. Very productive; fragrant and of remarkably fine flavor; slightly netted. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Emerald Gem. A salmon-fleshed variety of remarkably fine flavor and fine quality. Fruit medium sized, globular, slightly flattened at the ends; skin only slightly netted; very thick, and well ripened close to the rind. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; lb. \$1.50.

ra Early Hackensack. An early variety with almost globular fruit, which is heavily ribbed and netted. Flesh thick, and light green, medium size. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

FORDHOOK One of the best home garden melons; of small size, globe-shaped, flattened at the ends. Roughly netted while the skin showing through the netting is emerald green. The flesh is rich salmon in color, very solid and of delicious flavor. The rind is extremely thin and the seed cavity unusually small. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

HACKENSACK, OR TURK'S CAP. The flavor is sweet and delicious, and this is the best of the very large varieties. Hackensack has green flesh; flattened ends; thick irregular ribs and coarse netting. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

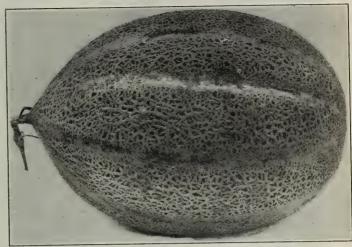
Jenny Lind. Very early and very prolific. Fruit is small, somewhat flattened, deeply ribbed and netted. Flesh green and very sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Large Yellow Cantaloupe. Although there are several varieties frequently substituted for this sort, we have a distinct type, and find it very popular with all who have tried it. The fruit is large, oblong, slightly ribbed and coarsely netted. The flesh is light yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 35c; 1b. \$1.10.

Montreal Market. A large-fruited variety slightly oval. Skin dark green; heavily netted. Flesh light green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.50.

Osage, or Miller's Cream. A salmon-flesh variety larger than"Em-

erald G e m. ' ' Skin dark green, slightly n e tted and ribhed. A favorite variety for the later markets. Pkt. 5 c: OZ. 15c; 1/4 1b.40c; 1 b . \$1.25.



Acme or Baltimore

E HOODOO. The seed cavity is very small; the rind very thin indeed; and the edible, fleshy part very thick and meaty. Hoodoo is of orange or salmon color, small THE HOODOO. and meaty. Hoodoo is of orange or salmon color, small size and of most delicious flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; lb.

not pick until the light streaks become quite yellow. Stow away in a cool, dark place where the fruits do not touch each other. When the rind becomes slightly softened and moist they are ready to eat. Some of the melons will actually keep till February.

25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Petoskey, or Paul Rose. Excellent market variety with thick, firm orange-colored flesh. Rather larger than Netted Gem; is slightly oval, ribbed, and heavily netted. Skin light green, changing to a faint golden hue when fully ripe. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

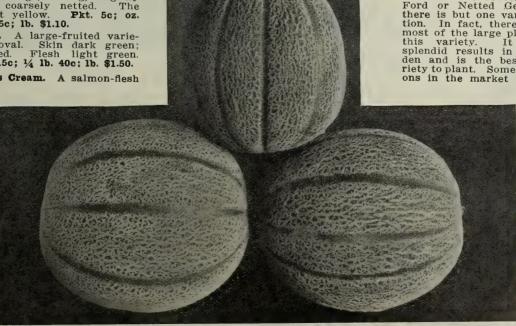
Skin light green, changing to a faint golden fully ripe. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

ROCKY FORD

OR NETTED GEM. The most largely cultivated variety in use. Grown in great quantities in Colorado. Fruit is slightly oval, finely netted, and slightly ribbed. Flesh thick, green, very sweet, and of fine quality and high flavor. It would seem that from the immense areas of land devoted to the Rocky Ford or Netted Gem Melon, that there is but one variety in cultivation. In fact, there is but one for most of the large planters and it is this variety. It gives equally splendid results in the home garden and is the best all-round variety to plant. Some of the best melons in the market the past season came from the Imperial valley a new

the Imperial valley a new and rapidly growing melon section of Cal-ifornia and the best them were the Rocky Ford variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Winter Pineapple. A globe-shaped Winter Ca-See saba. n o v el ties Page 1. Pkt. 10c.



A Fine Shipping Sort- Bocky Ford -Highly Flavored.



Our Seed is Saved for Us in the True Home of the Watermelon.

WATERMELON

Light, sandy, or gravelly soil is necessary for the best watermelons. They seldom do well on heavy adobe or clay soils, and these lands should be avoided for watermelons as a farm crop. In the garden the soil can be made suitable by spading in each hill some well-rotted manure and sand or loam.

Plant the seed about the middle of May, in hills about eight feet apart. Use five or six seeds to a hill, and thin out to two plants as soon as the second or third leaf shows. Use about four ounces of seed to 100 hills, or as a farm crop, two to four pounds per acre.

A new melon of great promise. Fruit round, ANGELINO.

ANGELINO. A new melon of great promise. Fruit round, deep green. Rind very thin, flesh bright red and heart unusually large and heavy. Ships well and sells readily in all markets. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50. CHILIAN. A very brittle, thin-skinned melon, of highest quality, and especially valuable for home garden. It is slightly oblong; the skin is deep rich green, mottled and striped with a still deeper green; the flesh is bright red and the flavor is remarkably fine and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Citron, Red Seeded. A small, globular variety, striped and marbled with light green. Flesh white and solid; seeds red. Used exclusively for pickles and preserves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Citron, Green Seeded or Colorado Preserving. For stock feed.
An oblong dull green variety about eighteen inches long.
The flesh is green with green seeds and is used largely for stock feeding. A common plan is to split them open with an axe and feed them to cattle in the field. Pkt.
5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Cole's Early. A great favorite for a large area of different climates. Fruit medium sized, oblong, striped and mottled. Flesh bright red, solid, and of fine sweet flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Cuban Queen. An excellent shipping variety of medium to large size and globular to oval shape. Rind quite thin, flesh bright red and firm. Skin striped with light and dark green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. 90c.

Fordhook Early. The earliest of all melons and of the finest quality. Fruit almost globular; color deep mottled with occasional faint stripes of lighter green; flesh bright red and crisp; rind tough, which makes it a good shipping variety.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

The Lodi, or San Joaquin. Well-known and popular California variety, grown on an immense scale in San Joaquin Valley and shipped to all parts of the Pacific Coast. Fruit large and oblong, skin green and slightly mottled; rind thin but tough; flesh bright red and sweet; seeds white. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

FLORIDA FAVORITE Here is a watermelon of a fine flavor which will a fine flavor which will reach the market in good shape. No wonder it is such a favorite with planters, and sells well with commission men. A very large variety with large, oblong fruit and dark green skin, mottled with a deeper shade. Rind thin, flesh deep red and of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

HALBERT HONEY Is especially sweet in flavor, crisp and brittle, and well ripened to a very thin rind. Oblong and extra fine quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Iceberg. In general appearance this variety resembles Kolb's Gem, but the skin, which is dark green with markings of a lighter shade, is darker in leeberg and shows a spot of bright yellow where the fruit rests on the ground. The rind is thin and the flesh deep red. It is the best dark-colored shipping variety in use. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

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KLECKLEY SWEETS OR MONTE CRISTO.

KLECKLEY SWEETS OR MONTE CRISTO. A very desirable variety for the home garden or near-by markets. The most extensively grown shipping variety in California. Fruit medium sized, oval, and skin dark green; flesh bright red and very sweet. It is the very sweet, honey-like flavor that makes it especially distinct from all other varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Kolb's Gem. The fruit is large, thick, and oval, with flattened ends. Skin striped with light and dark green. Flesh bright red. The well-known Southern shipping variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

TOM WATSON The fruit is very large, many melons weighing 50 to 60 pounds and measuring 18 to 24 inches in length. Its rind is very thin but exceedingly tough, and on this account it is one of the very best shipping varieties. The skin is a dark mottled green, while the flesh is a brilliant scarlet, and the heart is very large with a small seed area. The flavor is most delicious and refreshing. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00. 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

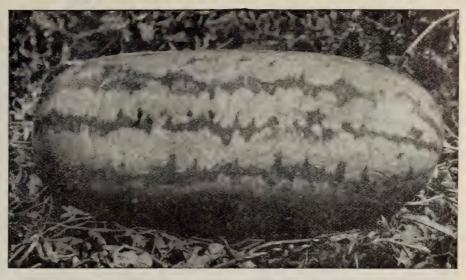
WATERMELONS-Continued.

GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE

One of the oldest and most popular sorts One of the oldest and most popular sorts and frequently known as GYPSY. A large oblong variety with decided stripes of light and deep green. Rind is tough, but flesh is of good quality and bright red; a good shipping and market melon. Is quite as generally used by the large melon growers as Kleckley Sweets and is perhaps hardier and more profitable, being very easily grown. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

NASTURTIUM

The green seed of nasturtium has a sharp, pungent flavor, and when pickled makes an excellent condiment. It is also valuable as a flower and serves a double purpose in the garden. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.



Georgia Rattlesnake Watermelon

MUSHROOM SPAWN

Ten pounds will spawn about ten feet square. Mushrooms can be grown in any dark room or cellar where the temperature can be kept at from 50 to 60 degrees. From some old pasture procure good rich soil, and to every bushel of this soil add two bushels of fresh horse manure. Of this well-mixed compound prepare a bed, say four feet wide. Put down a thin layer and pound it down hard, and go on until you have a bed twelve or eighteen inches thick. If the manure heats too much it must be turned over each day until sufficiently cool, otherwise it will burn out its vitality. As soon as the temperature of the bed falls to 70 degrees, the spawn may be inserted in pieces about the size of a walnut about one inch deep and 10 to 12 inches apart. Cover with loamy soil about two inches deep and beat it down evenly and firmly. Finish off with a covering of clean hay, about a foot thick, and the work is done. If the temperature is right, in six or eight weeks you may expect mushrooms. The beds will continue bearing from twenty to thirty days. After the first crop is gathered spread over the bed an inch of fresh soil, moisten with warm water, and cover with hay as before. Keep the bed Ten pounds will spawn about ten feet square. with warm water, and cover with hay as before. Keep the bed moist at all times but not soaked. The main conditions in mushroom growing are proper and uniform temperature and very rich soil.

English Mushroom Spawn. It comes in pressed bricks weighing about twenty ounces. Brick, 35c, postpaid; by express, brick 25c; 10 bricks, \$2.00.



MUSTARD

English Mushrooms

The leaves of these varieties of mustard, as here listed, make excellent greens of sharp, pungent flavor, and are cooked the same as spinach or beet leaves. Sow the seed in drills early in the spring and at frequent intervals throughout the summer to secure a constant supply of fresh greens. Mustard is hardy and is easily grown. One ounce will sow fifty feet of row.

A very hardy, broad-leaved variety. Leaves are thick and deeply savoyed, with broad white midrib. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 40c.

Fordhook Fancy. The dark-green leaves of this variety are more curled on the edges than any other sort, making most attractive greens. Pkt. 5c; cz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. 90c.

GIANT SOUTHERN CURLED Large variety, forming a great mass of beautiful leaves, which are ruffled and finely curled on the edges. Hardy, vigorous, highly recommended. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 15c;

leaves. Seed light yellow and pungent. The commercial mustard seed is this sort. Oz. 5c; ¼ 1b. 10c; 1b. 30c. lb. 50c. White English.

OKRA, OR GUMBO

The long, tender pods of okra are very delicious when sliced and cooked in soups. While this is its chief use, it is also boiled and served like other classes of vegetables. The tall sorts should be planted in hills about a foot apart, using about one ounce to 100 hills. The dwarf sorts may be planted in hills or in rows about three feet apart. Plant in any good soil about April 15th. The pods should be gathered when very young, as they are then very tender.

PERKINS MAMMOTH A dwarf-LONG POD very early and prolific variety. Pods are long, slender, deep green and of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.

A medium-sized variety,

long, smooth, white pods, which are very tender. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c. ARF GREEN. An early, dwarf, and prolific variety with thick, green pods. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.



Okra-Long Pod

Morse's Onion seed

HOW TO GROW ONIONS FOR MARKET

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For general crop the seed must be sown during the month of January or before February 1st, and, if the location is a fairly done, it is best to sow about the middle of December. The seed should be sown with a seed drill in rows 14 inches apart, using 4 to 40 pounds of seed per acre. In very weedy land the rows may be 18 or 20 inches apart when less seed is required.

For planting a single row of onions among strawberry plants about 2 pounds of seed per acre is sufficient.

The land must be thoroughly worked before planting, and usually two good plowings, a good disking, and a harrowing are necessar. The crop must always be kept free from weeds, and it is usually necessary to weed out in the row by hand once or twice. Hoeing be tween the rows may be done oftener. It is not necessary to thin the plants in the row, since some thinning is naturally done during the hand weeding. hand weeding.

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The land chosen for onions should be wet land, preferably loose, sandy loam or peat, and should always be kept well drained. Heav adobe or clay soil is good, but needs to be irrigated in May, June, and July, and the onions are not so well colored or even in shape in heavy, stiff soils. Steady, even growth is necessary to good onions, and a check in the growth, whether from disease or drought, cause them to run to seed badly. Onions are ready to harvest usually the latter part of August, when with a good crop, the tops are prett well ripened down. If the tops are still standing and green it is well to run a light roller or plank over them to press the tops down, and the onions should be pulled in about ten days after this is done, whether the tops have dried off or not. It requires not less than two full weeks to properly cure onions after they are pulled. In localities where fog is prevalent it is best to spread the onions out on the ground, not more than one bulb deep. It is usual in other climates to throw into windrows a foot or more deep and cover lightly wit straw or dried tops. It is best not to top and sack until ready to ship to market, and if onions are to be kept for any length of tim they should not be sacked, but should be put under cover on a floor or in a bin with abundant circulation of air, and be kept absolutely dry.

The value of an onion crop is naturally dependent on the market and on the character of the land planted. Land that is very foul should usually be avoided as too expensive. Also avoid land which has just had a hay or grain crop, and if possible use land that has been planted to vegetables or some hoed crop, especially peas and beans. An onion crop should not be repeated more than three times on the same land, and usually twice is best, since onion diseases (of which there are many) appear very plentifully. An average crop runs from 150 to 200 centals (15,000 to 20,000 lbs.) per acre, and the cost represented by labor, rent, sacks and transportation is estimated roughly at \$75 per acre.

Another very good system of growing fancy market onions is by transplanting. By this method the seed is sown in beds in August and September, and the plants are pulled and transplanted about February 15th to March 1st. Put the plants 6 inches apart in lateral rows, 14 inches apart when they make a uniform size bulb and also a

inches apart in lateral rows, 14 inches apart when they make a uniform size bulb and also a hard and firm one. This plan is usually recommended for the Globe varieties, since they do best under this treatment. About 2 pounds of seed will furnish plants enough for an acre by this method. The expense is considerably greater than by the ordinary plan, and should be roughly estimated at \$100 per acre. The additional cost is simply in labor in transplanting, for there is some saving in hoeing and weeding. Unless the land is porous and friable and also very moist all through the summer, this method is usually unsuccessful and is not recommended. The seed should never be sown later than September 15th, and the transplanting should never be done later than March 15th.

Ailsa Craig. An immense light yellow onion; fine grained, crisp, mild flavored and early. The one illustrated measured 18 inches around and weighed 2 pounds. Ailsa Craig is the largest onion grown. Your garden can grow an onion like this one. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.00.

Australian Brown. An early and very hardy variety which does especially well in California. Should be planted early, on low, wet grounds to get large bulbs. The skin is thick and the color is a rich brown. Is especially noted as a long keeper, as it keeps well into spring, and

well into spring, and much longer than other varieties. Pkt. 5c; 0z. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

California Early Red. If the seed is sown in beds in August and set in the field in No-vember or Decem-ber, good mar-ket onions can be had

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Crystal White Wax. A pure white variety of the Bermuda type; Teneriffe grown. The beautiful clear white onion seen in our markets in crates, early in the spring, is this variety. **Crop short. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; ½ 1b. \$1.50.**

Extra Early Pearl. A very early variety with white skin, rather coarse grain and mild flavor. In shape it is flat and is unsurpassed for early sets or home-made pickles.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 65c; lb. \$2.25.



Giant Onion-Ailsa Craig

Extra Early Barletta. Extremely early variety. Seed planted in February will form ripe onions the last of July. Is a white onion, forming small bulbs about one inch in diameter. Valuable for home-made pickles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 18 82 25.

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Extra Early Golden Globe, or Australian Extra Early Yellow Globe. A handsome and valuable yellow globe-shaped variety. It is very early and extremely hard and firm. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Extra Early Red Flat. A very early, flat variety with dark purplish-red skin. Forms a hard bulb with good keeping qualities. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ½ 1b. 90c; lb. \$2.00.



YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS. Morse's Onion Seed will produce Onions like these.

Mammoth Silver King. An early, large, white, flat onion. Is not a keeping sort nor a good shipping variet, but is valuable for home use and near by markets. Is very mild and of fine flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 65c; 1b.

MORSE BROWN GLOBE

rich, seal-brown color. It ripens uniformly and nearly every plant makes a solid, hard bulb. It has all the long-keeping characteristics of Australian Brown, and is one of the very best varieties for market.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 60c; 1b. \$2.00.

OHIO YELLOW GLOBE The best of the yellow Globe varieties. The skin is bright, glossy, orange-yellow, and the flesh is white, and fine grained. The bulbs are remarkably uniform in size and shape, and being firm and hard possess fine keeping and shipping qualities. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

PRIZE TAKER

A very large globe-shaped variety with light-yellow skin and white flesh of mild flavor. It is a heavy cropper and a fairly good keeping onion, and is very popular as a market variety. Individual bulbs often weigh two or three pounds. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

RED WETHERSFIELD

The best-known and most widely used red variety. In shape it is flattish, but thick, with very firm flesh. Is hard, and an excellent keeper, as well as a heavy cropper. The color is a bright purplish-red. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c; 1b. \$2.00.

Red Bermuda. A very early, flat variety, used largely in the South for planting in the fall and marketing in the spring. Is of mild flavor and ships well but will not keep for winter. Pkt. 5; oz. 45c; ¼ 1b. \$1.25.

Southport Yellow Globe. A fine, orange-yellow, globe-shaped variety. Is a heavy cropper, and forms a long-keeping, hard bulb. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.25.

Southport Red Globe. A large, globe-shaped, bright purplish-red variety. Is a late sort and an excellent keeper. A very handsome variety and of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

Southport White Globe. A pure white globe-shaped variety. Forms handsome hard onions with wax-like, pearlwhite flesh. Is used a great deal for green onions, owing to the clear white stem. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ 1b. \$1.00; lb. \$3.00.

LLOW DANVERS FLAT The best-known and most generally used flat, yellow onion. Is the most hardy of all varieties for California and yields the surest and largest crops. Color bright orange-yellow; flesh white and firm. A good keeper, fairly early, and of good size. It is also a good variety for transplanting to get early onions. One of the standard varieties on the San Francisco market where it is often called "Silverskin," although of a bright yellow color. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c: lb. \$1.50. YELLOW DANVERS FLAT

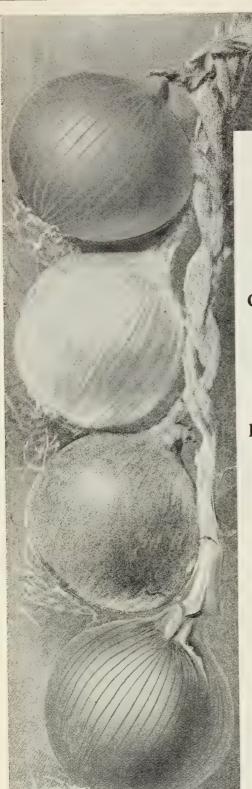
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Yellow Dutch, or Strasburg. The most popular and best variety for set purposes. Is similar to the yellow Danvers Flat in shape, color and size, but as a set onion it has the quality of ripening down earlier and more uniformly. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

Yellow Globe Danvers. Morse's Strain of Globe Danvers is specially selected on our farms to give an even ripening crop. The bulbs are all of fairly large size, small at the neck and perfectly and regularly formed. Morse's Globe Danvers is the most popular onion for market and for shipping. Is almost ball-shaped, but a trifle flattened at both ends. It is a heavy cropper, and a good, firm, variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

White Bermuda. A very early variety, used largely in the South as an early market onion, when the seed is sown in the fall and the onions harvested in the spring. It is mild and of particularly fine flavor. The color is a pink-ish-straw color, and the shape is flat. The seed we offer is grown in Teneriffe, Canary Islands, and is a fine pure strain. This is the principal variety shipped in crates from Texas and Imperial Valley early in the spring. Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c; ¼ 1b. \$1.25.

White Italian Tripoli. A large, globe-shaped onion, with clear white skin and pearl-white flesh. Of mild, sweet flavor. Not a good keeping onion, but much esteemed as a garden sort. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 65c; 1b. \$2.25.



WHITE PORTUGAL,

The best-known SILVERSKIN used white onion. Is flat on the bottom and thick toward the top. Very hard and firm and an excellent keeper. Is largely used for white onion sets as well as for market onions and pickles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 80c; 1b. \$2.50. ite Queen. A very early white onion. Rather small and does not keep well. Is of fine, mild flavor, and largely used for homemade pickles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 65c; 1b. \$2.25. and most largely

White

ONION SETS

Onion Sets are miniature onion bulbs grown from seed and are so formed by sowing 50 to 75 pounds of seed per acre. Good sets are those of very small size and well rip-

Plant near the surface in rows 12 inches apart and 2 inches between the sets, using 250 lbs. of sets per acre. When raised from sets, the onions can be used in the green state or may be ripened off for large onions, in which case they are fully six weeks earlier than when raised from seed. Prices are subject to market fluctuations as the season advance

Postage on Onion Sets is 10 cents per pound additional.

Brown or Yellow Onion Sets. Sept. to May. Lb. 20c.

White Onion Sets. Sept. to Dec. only. Lb. 25c.

Bermuda Sets. July and Aug. Lb. 25c.

CARLIC Large quantities are furnished at prevailing market prices.

Lb. 15c; lb. 25c postpaid.

PARSNIPS

A well-known vegetable for table use. It is also a very good stock food and quite as nutritious as carrots. It prefers very wet soil, and will thrive where carrots will not grow. A sandy soil is preferred since the roots are very long, and are difficult to dig in stiff soil. Sow the seed in the Spring in 12 to 18-inch drills, using one-fourth ounce to 100 feet. In the field sow in rows twelve inches apart, using three pounds per acre.

Early Short Round French. A flat turnip-shaped variety. Of rather coarse grain and not as good quality as the long varieties, but early and easy to dig in stiff, hard soil.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

HOLLOW CROWN

A variety with a hollow or cup-shaped top, where the leaf stem begins. The most popular and best variety for all purposes. Skin smooth and white, and flesh tender, while the root grows eighteen to twenty inches long. The best part of it is contained in the first eight inches from the top. Our strain of

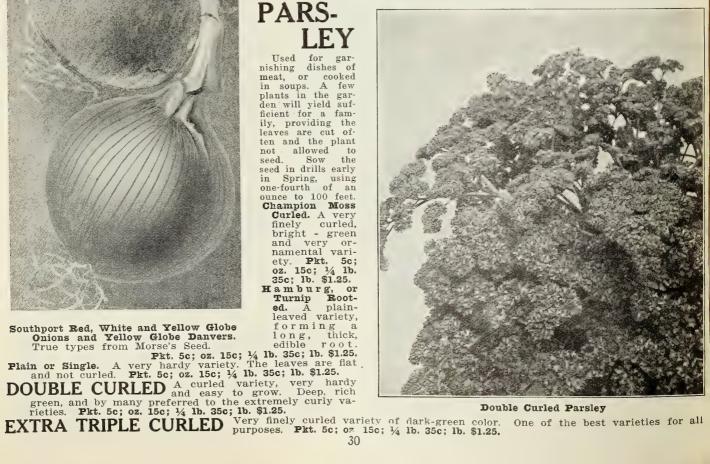
HOLLOW CROWN der, while the root grows eighteen to twenty inches long. The best part of it is contained in the first eight inches from the top. Our strain of Hollow Crown is the thick-shouldered type called "Student" by some dealers. It is particularly fine, smooth, and regular. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; 1b. \$1.50.

Long Smooth. A very long variety with full crown. Very smooth, white skin. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.25.

PARS-

Used for garnishing dishes of meat, or cooked in soups. A few plants in the gar-den will yield suf-ficient for a family, providing the leaves are cut of-ten and the plant not allowed seed. Sow the seed in drills early in Spring, using one-fourth of an ounce to 100 feet.

Champion Moss Curled. A very Curled. A very finely curled, bright - green and very ornamental variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.25.



Double Curled Parsley

One of the best varieties for all

Morse's PEAS

Peas are quite hardy and for very early market can be planted in the Fall in protected places, and ripe peas can be had in February. They require moderately rich soil, but not excessively rich or wet, or they will run too much to vine, and do not bear heavily. The seed needs to be planted thick, using from 80 to 150 pounds per acre for seed or vegetable crop, or one pound for sixty feet of row.

The dwarf varieties can be planted in rows twelve to eighteen inches apart, and the tall ones three feet. By using the various classes of peas and by making several sowings of each, good peas can be had for a long season. In the garden the pods should be kept picked, as the plants will then continue to bear longer. All varieties have wrinkled seed except Alaska, First and Best, Marrowfat and Melting Express or freight charges are not prepaid. Write us for special quotations on large quantities. Peas are a short crop all over the world this year.

EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES

ALASKA, OR EARLIEST OF
ALL. A smooth pea well
suited for extra early
planting; vine 2½ feet
high; pods small; will not
rot in cold, wet ground;
popular with canners. Pkt.
10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid. By
express or freight, 1b. 20c;
10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$1.00.

BRITISH WONDER. We cannot too highly recommend this new sort we intro-duced last year. Briefly, a duced last year. Briefly, a dwarf pea with extra large pods and peas of finest quality; prolific. British Wonder will soon supersede all other dwarf peas. Pkt. 10c; lb. 40c, postpaid; or by express or freight, per lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50. \$2.50.

PIRST AND BEST, OR EX-TRA EARLY. One of the earliest tall varieties, with smooth, round peas, which ripen almost at one time. Grows two to two and one-Grows two to two and one-half feet high; seed yel-lowish white; pods straight, short and well filled. Quality best of straight, short and well filled. Quality best of smooth seeded early varieties. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$11.00.

AMERICAN WONDER. A dwarf or short-vine variedwarf or short-vine variety growing about 12 inches tall, bearing short, thick, well-filled pods, which are a rich dark-green. It bears well, is easily grown, and very early. The peas are of fine flavor. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$12.00.

NOTT'S EXCELSIOR. The earliest and best extra dwarf pea. Good flavor. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$12.00.

MORSE'S PREMIUM sometimes called LITTLE sometimes called LITTLE GEM. Plant our selection of this pea for it is extra productive, is early; has pods long and always filled right up; 15 inches tall; flavor is sweet. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$12.00.

GRADUS, OR PROSPERITY. Has the finest flavored peas of all. Tall light vine; matures early; peas and pods large size. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 100 lbs. \$17.00.



Stratagem Peas

THOMAS LAXTON. A fine, early tall variety, similar to Gradus, but more hardy and not quite so early. It is also a little darker in color and has large blunt pods that fill well with pods that fill well with peas of finest quality. Pkt. 10c; lb. 40c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50; 100 lbs. \$17.00.

LATER OR MAIN CROP VARIETIES

ALDERMAN. A new pea like Telephone only better. The vine is extra vigorous, and the pods of Alderman are dark green and always well filled with fine large peas. For a pea which should be staked there is none guite so good as none quite so good as Alderman. Pkt. 10c; lb. 40c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

ABUNDANCE. A tall, productive variety much like Advancer. It matures evenly, and is used largely by canners. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$11.00.

LEAN'S ADVANCER. Is especially productive, and very popular with market gardeners. One of the best mid-season peas Pkt. 10c; 1b. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, 1b. 20c; 10 1bs. \$1.75; 100 1bs. \$11.00. \$11.00.

BLISS'S EVERBEARING. A
good heavy bearing main
crop sort; quality good.
Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid.
By express or freight, lb.
20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$11.00.

CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.

One of the most popular tall late varieties. Is very prolific and hardy, very prolific and hardy, and the peas are of especially fine, rich quality.

Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, 1b. 20c; 10 1bs. \$1.75; 100 1bs. \$11.00.

HORSFORD'S MARKET GAR-**DEN.** A tall variety of medium height; very promedium height; very prolific; peas small and wrinkled, but pods well filled. Dark green and hardy and very popular as a canning variety. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$11.00.

All of MORSE'S PEAS are most carefully hand selected on their ranches and the product is hand picked at their city warehouse. Morse's Peas are of Superfine Quality.

PEAS—Continued

SENATOR. Introduced by us last year. Sen-ator is literally loadator is literally ed with large slight-ly curved pods, al-ways well filled. Peas medium sized and of splendid quality. This pea is a most excel-lent one for the home garden on account of its extra prolificness and good quality. Pkt. 10c; 1b. 40c, postpaid, or by express or freight, 1b. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

RATAGEM, MORSE'S SELECTED. A semi-STRATAGEM, dwarf variety with leaves large pods. The large pods. The vines bear well, and the pods are long, thick and well filled. This variety has a tendency to run out or revert to a small-podded type and many stocks of stocks many Stratagem offered contain many small podded plants. We offer an especially fine selected strain ine selected strain free from small pods.

Prices — Reselected strain. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$11.00.

TELEPHONE. wrinkled and large; wrinkled peas of remarkably peas of remarkably fine quality. A popular home garden and market variety; large pods. We have an especially fine pure stock this year. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$15.00.



Yorkshire Hero Peas

YORKSHIRE HERO, ALAMEDA SWEETS.
A very hardy and prolific, semi-dwarf, wrinkled variety. are large and peas of fine quality and the pods, which are broad and medium-sized, remain in condition for a long time. It bears immense crops, both of pods and dried peas, and is the dried peas, and is the variety most largely planted by gardeners. Pkt. 10c; lb. 30c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

LARGE WHITE MAR-ROWFAT. A tall, hardy van Very productive, variety inferior quality. These wrinkled nor are they sweet. Frequently when Marrowfat Peas when Marrowfat Peas are asked for the best quality is desired, and Yorkshire Hero is the variety desired. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 15c; 10 lb. \$1.15; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

MELTING SUGAR. tall variety bearing long, flat, brittle pods which are cut or broken and cooked like string beans. Is a delicious vegetable, and should be better known and more generally used. Pkt. 10c; lb. 35c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00.

PEPPER

There are varied uses for Peppers, and while they are more popular in the South among the Spanish and Mexican people, they are used very largely by all who like strong, hot condiments. The several varieties are used for stuffing when green for pickles, for pulverizing when dry, and for soups, etc. Our selection of varieties includes all of the very best.

CHINESE GIANT

A very large, deep-red variety, very thick and blunt. It is fully twice as large as Large Bell, or Bull Nose, being four or five inches thick at the top and about six inches long. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; ½ 1b. \$1.60; 1b. \$5.50.

Golden Dawn. A short, thick variety, similar to Large Bell, or Bull Nose, in shape but a rich golden yellow, with a mild, sweet flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

1b. \$2.50.

ge Squash. An early variety bearing large, flat, tomatoshaped fruit, which is bright red when fully ripe. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50. Large Squash.

LARGE BELL OR BULL NOSE blocky, and about three inches long and two inches thick. The color is deep green when fruit is young, but when fully ripened it is a rich, glossy blood-red. Plant grows about two feet high. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

LONG RED CAYENNE A strong, pungent variety, having long, pointed fruit, which is bright scarlet when ripe. A well-known and popular variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Peppers do best in hot climates, but can be grown quite successfully in most places. They require very rich soil. The seed germinates slowly and should be started in boxes, and the young plants transplanted after all danger of frost is over, in 18-inch rows.

Red Cherry. An ornamental as well as useful variety, the plant being tall and bearing profusely small, bright, red The fruit is small, round, very hot, and is largely used for pickles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

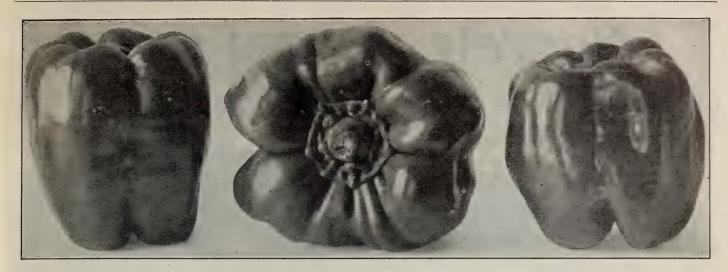
Red Chili. A rather small, bright-red variety about two inches long, and pointed. The pods are used in making Chili sauce, and are very pungent and hot. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Ruby King. A popular variety of the Bell, or Bull Nose type. The fruit is large, bright, glossy-red, and the flavor is mild and sweet. A desirable variety for slicing in salads and for stuffing. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 85c; 1b. \$3.00.

SWEET MOUNTAIN, OR SPANISH MAMMOTH It is a late variety, bearing large, thick fruit, which is frequently eight inches long and two or three inches in diameter. When mature, it is a deep, glossy-red, and the flavor is mild and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Sweet Upright. A large thick variety, with mild sweet flesh. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; ¼ 1b. \$1.25; 1b. \$4.50.

Daffodils, Tulips, Hyacinths, Iris, are all Spring flowering Bulbs and should be set out in October and November. Our Fall Bulb Catalogue lists all these and many others. Upon request we will gladly mail this in September.



Large Bell or Bull Nose Peppers

PUMPKIN

While pumpkins are of strong growth, they will not stand frost, and cannot be planted until about April 15th. A moderately rick soil is sufficient for good pumpkins. Plant in hills about eight feet apart. Three to four pounds of seed will plant an acre, and 8 ounces will plant 100 hills. Do not plant near squashes or melons, they are likely to mix. If large quantities are wanted, write for special price.

Small Sugar

CONNECTICUT FIELD, OR NEW ENG-LAND PIE A fine, large, orange-colored variety used for field culture and stock feeding. The skin is smooth and ribbed and the flesh is brittle and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 20c; 1b. 50c, postpaid. By express or freight, 1b. 40c; 10 1bs. \$3.50.

Large Cheese, or Kentucky Field. A very large, flattened Pumpkin, averaging about two feet through. When ripened the skin is a rich cream color. Flesh yellow and of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 20c; lb. 60c, postpaid.

MAMMOTH KING, OR POTIRON

The best large pumpkin in use. Forms immense gobular melons, flattened a little at the end. Skin reddish yellow in color and flesh rich orange. This is unquestionably the very best mammoth pumpkin we have. It runs very uniform in shape and color and all are of immense size. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 14 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50. all are of immense 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

COMMON FIELD The well-known, ordinary pumping. The fruit is variously colored in yellow, drab,
red and orange, and varies also in size, but is usually
very large. Is a heavy cropper and very easily grown.
Pkt. 5c; lb. 45c, postpaid. By express or freight, lb.
35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

Mammoth Golden Cushaw. One of the best stock-feeding pumpkins. Is a solid, yellow crooknecked sort, and is nearly all flesh having a very small seed cavity.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

Pie Pumpkin. A small, round, yellow sort, with fine, pinkish netting. Flesh is thick, sweet, and of excellent quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

SMALL SUGAR. A small, round pumpkin of excellent quality. The flesh is rich yellow, very thick and sweet, and the skin is deep orange. We recommend this variety as the very best for pies. Fkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.



Mammoth King



Mammoth Golden Cushaw



Connecticut Field

Our Nursery Department has a fine assortment of handsome Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, Climbing Vines and Roses. Reached by the Key Route System, Piedmont Station, from San Francisco, or by street car from Oakland. The Nursery is located at 41st street and Glen Ave., Oakland. All goods may be ordered at our store, 125 Market street, San Francisco.

Morse's RADISH SEED

Being a root crop, good brittle radishes require light, well-worked soil, made very rich and mellow to insure quick growth. If permitted to grow slowly, they become tough and pithy. They are easy to grow and frequent plantings will insure a constant supply for the table. Use two-thirds ounce for 100 feet of row, and thin the very young plants somewhat to prevent crowding. Summer varieties can be sown all spring and well into summer. Winter varieties, however, require some time to mature, and the seed should be planted in August and September for good radishes in November and December.

Brightest Long Scar-let. A very A v showy, long variety. Is thick at the shoulder and tapering. Bright rose scarlet with distinct white tip.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;

1/4 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Chartier. A very long variety and larger in diameter and general size than Long Scar-let. Keeps hard

let. Keeps hard and crisp longer than most varieties, and is an excellent garden sort. Color bright rose with lighter colored tip. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

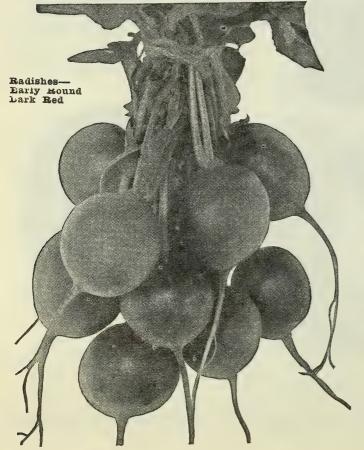
Cincinnati Market. An early and quick-growing long variety which keeps hard and crisp for a long time. A favorite market garden variety. Color crimson. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

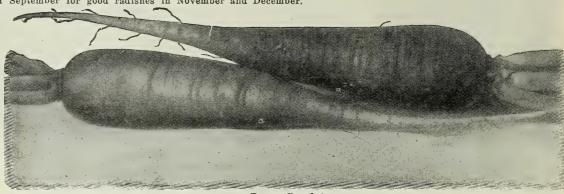
Chinese Rose Winter. A bright scarlet winter variety. About 4 inches long and stump-rooted. Matures two

About 4 inches long and stump-rooted. Matures two or three weeks earlier than the Chinese White Winter and like it is firm and crisp and does not grow pithy until it runs to seed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.



TIAL (or Cal. Mammoth White Winter). The well-known and popular winter variety. Clear white, about 4 inches long and half stump-rooted. Keeps firm and crisp until it runs to seed. Is a good cooking variety, and when cooked the flavor resembles turnip. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.





Long Scarlet

Crimson Giant Forcing. A fine solid radish, a little larger than Scarlet Globe, very early and crisp; white tip. We recommend our selection of this as being an extra an extra It is top-shaped. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. good radish. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Early Round Dark Red, or Prussian Globe. A bright scar-let, turnip-shaped variety. Early, quick-growing, and a very handsome radish. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Early Scarlet Turnip. A valuable variety for forcing or outdoor culture. Is a small, turnip-shaped variety, and in color entirely crimson.

30c; lb. \$1.00.

EARLY SCARLET GLOBE

ing to its very quick growth and fine, bright scarlet color. Shape, a trifle oblong.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.25.

Early White Turnip. A very quick-growing, small turnip-shaped variety. Color, clear white; very mild flavor, and valuable for forcing. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

nch Breakfast. A popular variety for market or forcing. It is about two inches long and decidedly stumprooted. Color, bright rose with bottom of root and the tail pure white. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Golden Globe. Quite a large top shaped variety with yellow skin, and solid white flesh. Is not a quick-growing variety; but retains its solidity a long time after maturity. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

Half Long, or Olive-Shaped. The variety most largely used by gardeners in California. It is about 3 inches long with half stump-root and sloping top. Color, carmine. Quick growing and hardy. Remains solid longer than any other variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

Half Long Deep Scarlet. A shorter, olive-shaped variety, with half stump-root and sloping top. Color, bright scarlet. Valuable for forcing. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1b. 75c.

ICICLE A handsome white variety, about 5 inches long, with sloping top and pointed root. Quick growing, brittle, and mild in flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1b. \$1.00.

Long Black Spanish. A winter variety with almost black skin and white flesh. Roots about six inches long. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

bright carmine, and flesh brittle and firm. About 6 inches long, the top growing out of the ground about one inch. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Long White Japanese. A winter variety, growing frequently 2 feet long and about 3 inches in diameter. Skin, white; flesh, solid and tender, and very pungent. A staple article of diet with the Japanese, who use it both green and dried. Our seed is imported from Japan. both green and dried. Our seed is im Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 40c; 1b. \$1.50.

Round Black Spanish. A winter variety, with black skin and white flesh. It is top-shaped or almost globular. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIPPED (or Rosy Gem. See page 35). Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.



Scarlet Turnip White Tipped Radish

Myatt's Victoria. The variety most generally in use. It comes fairly true from seed.

Seed-Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb.

Roots-15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

CRIMSON WINTER The new yariety, which has become very popular and

RADISH

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SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIPPED, or Bosy Gem. One of the most popular and attractive short varieties. It is globe-shaped, bright rose-carmine with bottom and tip clear white. Stems and leaves small. Very valuable for forcing as well as for the house garden and market. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

White Strasburg. A large, white variety for late summer use. Rather thick at the shoulder and tapering to about 5 inches in length. Keeps firm and solid a long time. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

White Vienna (or Lady Finger). A very fine, long, white variety, quick growing, and ready for use when very young. The flavor is mild and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

RHUBARB

A rich, sandy soil, wet but well drained, is best for rhubarb. While it is frequently propagated from seed, only a percentage comes true, but it is cheaper to grow from seed and discard untrue plants. The popular method, however, is to use young plants propagated from the crown. Set plants three feet by six. The best stems are produced the second year, but it continues to produce for several years. When the blossom stalk appears, it should be cut back well into the ground. Set the crowns of the plants so that they are 1 inch under the surface of the soil. Choose a place where the soil will be moist at all times.

profitable to the growers, is of delicious flavor, extremely hardy, very prolific, and very quick growing. Produces good stems all winter and spring.

Seed—Pkt. 10c; oz. 65c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50.

Large Roots—25c each, 5 for \$1.00. Add 15c each for postage.

SALSIFY, OR VEGETABLE OYSTER

The salsify root, which grows about twelve inches long and one inch in diameter, is becoming a very popular vegetable. When cooked it has a distinct flavor of the oyster, and may be served in a great variety of ways. A loose, light soil, especially sandy loam, is desirable for a long smooth root. In stiff soils the roots are usually uneven and hard to dig. Use one ounce for 100 feet of row, and thin to two inches to prevent crowding. Plant in 12 inch to 15 inch rows.

MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. The improved, large-rooted variety, growing about 12 inches long and being from 1 to 2 inches thick. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.75.

SORREL

The large leaves, when cooked like spinach, make a very palatable vegetable. In California it grows luxuriantly, spreads rapidly from the root, and becomes an obnoxious weed unless given attention. A confined location in the garden is therefore recommended.

Large Leaved French. The variety having the largest leaves, and therefore the most desirable. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

SPINACH

An easily grown plant, the seed of which may be planted in the fall to secure good spinach early in the spring or even throughout the winter. The better and richer the soil, the larger and more tender the leaves will be. As a field crop for the market garden use 8 pounds of seed per acre. For the home garden use one ounce for 100 feet of row.



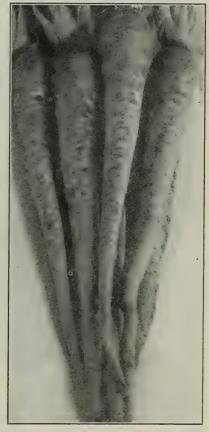
Prickly Spinach

BLOOMSDALE SAVOY

The variety most generally used in the East, and especially throughout the South for shipping. Leaves large, round, and thick, very much savoyed and rich deep green. One of the earliest varieties. Seed, round. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 15c; lb. 35c.

Long Standing. A deep green variety with rather elongated smooth leaves. Seed, round. Stands a long time without running to seed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 40c.

Victoria. A long-standing variety with round, slightly savoyed leaves. Deep green and hardy. Forms good, edible leaves early and continues to produce leaves for a long period. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.



Salsify-Mammoth Sandwich Island

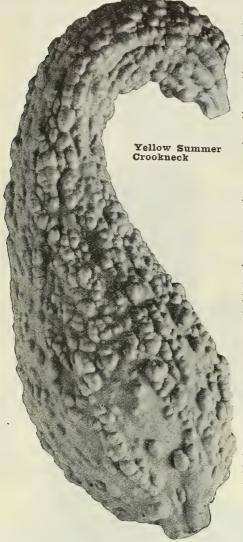
New Zealand. A plant with thick, fleshy texture and soft crystalline leaves. is not like the ordinary spinach in appearance, but it is used in the same way. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

PRICKLY The variety commonly used for market in California. Is very hardy and easily grown; bears large, smooth leaves, which are shaped like an arrow point. Color, bright green. Seed irregular, with 3 or 4 sharp points. A fine winter and spring variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 30c.

Round, Thick Leaved. A large-leaved, bright green variety. Leaves rather smooth and rounded at the top. A good variety for late spring and summer. Seed, round. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 40c.

SQUASH

The summer varieties come into use early in the summer, but being sensitive to frost the seed cannot be sown until late in April. The seed should be planted in hills four feet apart, using four ounces to 100 hills. The winter varieties are also unable to resist frost, and should be planted at the same time. The fruit does not mature until late in the fall, and, having a very firm, hard shell, keeps well, and with a little care squashes can. be had all winter and until late in the spring. In gathering winter squashes, it is important to protect the stems, since, if broken off, the fruit will not keep so well. Plant in hills six to eight feet apart, using two or three seeds to the hill. Use eight ounces to 100 hills, or two pounds to an acre. Moderately rich soil will grow good squashes.



SUMMER VARIETIES

EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP A very early variety, with flat, creamy white, scalloped squashes. 4 to 6 inches in diameter. The vine is bush in habit and rather dwarf. This variety is the common "patty pan" squash. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; dwarf. This variet 1/4 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Mammoth Summer Crookneck. A large golden-yellow variety, thickly warted; is eighteen inches long, brittle, and tender. Plants are bush and very prolific. This is an improved strain of the old variety and considerably larger. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 80c.

Mammoth White Bush Scallop. A fine, large variety with round, scalloped fruit twelve to fourteen inches in diameter. Color, white, clear and wax-like. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 85c.

VEGETABLE OR ITALIAN MARROW COCOZELLE BUSH. all the Squashes. Although usually eaten when quite small still it is good for table when nearly full grown; has a distinct flavor. The color is dark green at first but changes to a lighter green as it matures. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ 1b. 30c; 1b. $\frac{1}{2}$ 1.00.

White Summer Crookneck. Long, crooknecked variety, similar to Summer Crookneck in size and shape, but it is pure white. Is of especially fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Yellow Bush Scallop, or Custard. An early variety with flat, round scalloped fruit. Skin, deep yellow; flesh, pale yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb.

YELLOW SUM-MER CROOK-

NECK The well-known Summer variety. Fruit long, much skin very warted, bright golden yel low. Very fine and tender when young. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

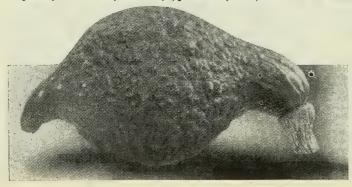
WINTER VARIETIES

BOSTON MAR-

ROW A popular variety, large, oval Skin bright, with fruit. reddish or a with light cream netorange,

cream netting. Flesh orange. Fine grained, and of excellent quality. This is the most popular variety for canning. The California canners plant several hundred acres annually and the fruit makes a rich orange-red, and delicious flavored dish. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Delicious. This is a splendid variety more like the Hubbard than any other, but surpasses it in some respects for home use, as it is not quite so large. The shell is not so hard, the meat is thicker, and of extra fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c; 1b. \$1.50.



Hubbard Squash



White Bush Scallop Squash

Essex Hybrid, or Hard Shell Turban. An early, quick-growing variety, with very hard shell. Is broad, with large neck or "Turk's Cap" at blossom end. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Fordhook. A good variety for early Winter or even Sum-

44 10. 25c; 10. 75c. dhook. A good variety for early Winter or even Summer use. The fruit is oblong, slightly ridged; is creamy yellow outside and the flesh is thick, and when cooked is of most delicious flavor. Is solid and hard and is a splendid keeper. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 90c.

Golden Hubbard. An exceptionally attractive variety of the true Hubbard type. At maturity the color is red, and the flesh bright orange. The vine is productive and the fruit is fit for use earlier than the Hubbard. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

HUBBARD The most popular and widely used of the Winter squashes. Fruit is oblong and pointed, heavily warted, dark green in color, with orange-colored flesh. Is remarkable for its keeping qualities. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Perfect Gem or Cream. Long-keeping Winter squash, 4 to 6 inches in diameter; apple-shaped, distinctly ribbed with smooth, cream colored skin. Is solid and rather hard, but bakes to a delicious soft consistency on the inside. Although a small variety, it is a great keeper and is used mostly in the Winter. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 85c.

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1b. 25c; lb. 85c.

Mammoth Chili. A very large variety with smooth, oblong
fruit, flattened at both ends. Skin, rich orange-yellow;
flesh, orange, fine grained, and sweet. Pkt. 5c; 0z. 15c;

1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

TOMATO

As tomatoes are very sensitive to frost, they cannot be set in the open field until about May 1st. The seed must be sown in well-protected hotbeds, sowing same about March 1st. A hardy and stocky plant is had by transplanting the small plants in the bed a few weeks before transplanting to the field. Or when about four inches high, the top may be pinched off and the plant grows stockier.

Sow the seed broadcast, using one ounce to about thirty square feet of area, which will yield plants enough to set an acre. In the field set tall varieties six feet apart and dwarf varieties four feet apart. A slight trellis is advisable in the garden. Good soil produces the best fruit, but it is not necessary that it be excessively rich. Too frequent watering, especially spraying the plant, is injurious to tomatoes in the home garden, but a moderate amount of water should be applied at the roots at regular intervals.

ae. A tall variety, medium early, bearing flattish globe fruit of a purplish-carmine color, and medium size. The fruit is smooth and uniform. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

Beauty. A rather early, tall variety; very prolific, with good-sized, smooth fruit of a purplish-carmine color. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.25.

BONNY BEST An early, scar-let-fruited tomato which has proven a success all over the country. It is from ten days to two weeks earlier than Chalk's Early Jewel, which it otherwise resembles. It is it otherwise resembles. smooth, very even in size, smooth, very even in size, very solid, and also very prolific. It is one of the best house-garden, canning and shipping Tomatoes in existence. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; ¼ 1b. 1.50; 1b. \$5.00.

CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL

A wonderful new variety, in that it is early and bears continuously throughout the season. The fruit is large, smooth, uniform, and well-ripened clear to the stem, and the flavor and quality are especially fine. Color, bright scarlet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 85c; 1b. \$2.75.

arf Champion. A dwarf variety, sometimes called the tree to-mato on account of its upright growth and its ability to stand alone without trellising. Fruit Dwarf Champion. growth and its ability to stand alone without trellising. Fruit medium-sized, smooth, uniform, and of a purplish-carmine color.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.



Tomato Stone

DWARF GIANT Dwarf plant and giant fruit. A selection out of a cross between Ponderosa and Dwarf Champion, and it partakes of the nature of both parents. The fruit has the mild sweet flavor of Ponderosa, is also large and meaty with very little core. It is deep purplish-crimson in color and belongs to the later-fruiting types. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00; 14. 18. 33.00; 1b. \$10.00.

Earliana (Sparks). The earliest tall variety, forming ripe fruit much earlier than any other variety. The fruit is large, smooth, of a bright scarlet color, and of fine quality. Very valuable for early market use. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.25.

Favorite. A tall variety, bearing globe-shaped scarlet fruit. The fruit is smooth and uniform, and well ripened to the stem. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

Golden Queen. A large-fruited, tall variety, bearing smooth, bright yellow fruit of fine quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

Husk Tomato, or Ground Cherry. A small variety that is covered by a loose covering or husk. The true edible variety is yellow and is used for preserves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 90c; 1b. \$3.00.

MATCHLESS There is no better tomato grown than Matchless with its large fruit, smooth and uniform. Color, bright cardinal red. A heavy cropper and of excellent flavor. Equally good for the home garden, for canning and for market. Morse's extra selected strain. Pkt. 10c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.10; lb. \$4.00.

Perfection. A tall variety, with medium-sized, globular, uniform fruit, which is smooth and well ripened to the stem. Color bright scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; 1b. \$2.25.

derosa. An extremely large, irregular-fruited variety. Vine tall, and fruit very solid and purplish-carmine in color. Rather coarse and of fair quality only. Pkt. 10c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50. Ponderosa.

Red Cherry. The fruit is small and globe-shaped, about one to two inches in diameter. It is very valuable for preserving. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.
Red Pear Shaped. As the name implies, the fruit is shaped like a pear—small at the stem and enlarged at the top. It is small, being about two or three inches long. It is bright scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

STONE The best main crop tomato for all purposes, and largely used for canning. Vine tall and prolific. Fruit smooth, large and uniform. Color bright scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

TROPHY An old favorite and much esteemed for its productiveness and hardiness. The fruit is somewhat irregular, but of fine quality, and is valuable for canning. The true stock is scarlet in color, and the fruit shows a distinct navel at the blossom end. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c; 1b. \$2.00.

Yellow Cherry. A small-fruited, bright, golden-yellow variety; very attractive for salads or preserves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

Yellow Pear Shaped. A small-fruited variety, which is golden-yellow. It is very useful for salads when the fruit is simply cut in two lengthwise. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ¼ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

We urge you to place your order for Morse's Seeds as early as possible. There is a very great rush every Spring by necessity, but if you have ordered early you will have the seeds to plant the moment they are required. We try to get every order off the day following its receipt but in Spring, on account of the many orders, we sometimes get behind. Will you not help us, and save yourself from worrying, by placing your order early?

TURNIPS

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH (Strap

Leaf)
A medium-sized, flat variety; clear white, early and of fine flavor. A fine table variety.

Sc; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

Extra Early White Milan. A very early variety, medium sized, flat and clear white. A fine home-garden variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.50.

Extra Early Purple Top Milan. A very early variety, medium sized, very flat, and white with purple top. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.40.

Orange Jelly, or Golden Globe. A globe-shaped, yellow variety with firm and crisp yellow flesh. A very fine table variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 65c.

PURPLE TOP FLAT DUTCH (Strap

Leaf)
An early flat variety. White, with purple top. Probably the most popular and generally used garden variety. It matures quickly and has fine grained flesh of mild flavor. In Colombo Market where the vegetables for San Francisco are handled, you will see more of Purple Top Flat Dutch than of any other sort. It forms early a fine root, even in shape and of best quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.



White Flat Dutch Turnips



Purple Top Yellow Aberdeen. A medium sized variety, generally used for stock feeding. Is yellow, with purple top. Flesh, light yellow. A winter variety, seed of which can be sown in summer. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.

Pomeranean White Globe. Large white variety, used largely for stock for Is globe-shaped, large leaves. Hardy. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.

Seven Top (for greens). Cultivated for its leaves; cooked same as spinach and mus tard. The root is small and not used. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.

White Egg. A small, oval-shaped turnip with pure white skin and white, fine-grained flesh. A handsome variety and very early. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 65c.



These are grown very extensively for stock feeding, and make an excellent and valuable crop. Treatment same as for winter turnips, but require a longer season to grow, and the seed should be planted early in July. The rows should be at least two and one-half feet apart, and the plants thinned to eight or twelve inches. The roots frequently grow to enormous size.

AMERICAN PURPLE TOP, OR LONG ISLAND One of the best and most popular varieties, with yellow flesh. It is yellow below ground, with purple top above, and the leaves are small. A good stock feeding or table variety. Pkt.

5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.

Laing's Purple Top. A globe-shaped variety of good quality. Flesh yellow; skin, yellow below ground, and purple above. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

LARGE WHITE, or SWEET GERMAN. A very large variety with white skin and white flesh, which is tender and sweet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

Monarch, or Tankard. Roots ovoid in shape and very large. Flesh, yellow; skin, yellow below ground and purple above. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

Yellow Purple Top Swede. The well-known and most commonly used variety. Roots, globular; skin, yellow under ground and purple above. Flesh of fine flavor. Valuable for either table use or stock feeding. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 20c; lb. 60c.



Purple Top White Globe Turnip

TOBACCO

Sow early in frames or seed beds and transplant when weather has become warm and frost has passed. Set in 4-foot rows, 30 inches

The best known and most CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF. widely used variety throughout the middle and northern States and Canada. It is the hardlest variety in cultivation. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

Havana (Domestic). Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; 1b. \$2.50.

Vuelta da Abajo (Imported Havana). Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.50. White Burley. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ½ 1b. \$1.00; lb. \$3.00. Yellow Pryor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c; lb. \$2.50. Kentucky Yellow. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50.

AROMATIC, MEDICINAL AND POT HERBS

se. A hardy annual. The seed especially being used for seasoning food, also for flavoring liquors and for medicinal purposes. Grows about two feet tall. Sow the seed where the plants are to stand. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;

the seed where the plants are to stand. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 35c.

Balm. A perennial herb used for seasoning, especially in liquors. Has a lemon-like flavor. Thrives in any warm location, and is easy to grow. Plant grows one to two feet high. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

BASIL, SWEET. A hardy annual, the leaves of which have a clover-like flavor. Used for seasoning soups, meats and salads. Of the easiest culture. Seed can be sown as early as the weather permits. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c. as early as the weather permits. 14 lb. 50c.

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Borage. The leaves are used for flavoring and the flowers furnish bee pasture. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Caraway. A biennial herb, grown for its seeds, which are used for flavoring breads. cakes and cheese; also occasionally for the young shoots and leaves, which are eaten. Grows two feet high. Is of easy culture. Sow the seed in the Spring for seed crop the following year. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1b. 75c.

Catnip. Practically a wild plant. Is a hardy perennial, the leaves of which are used for medicinal purposes. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; ½ 1b. \$1.25; 1b. \$4.00.

Coriander. An easily grown herb, the seeds of which are used for flavoring pastry, confectionery and liquors. Grows two to three feet high. Pkt. 5c; ½ 1b. 15c; 1b. 45c.

Dill. An annual herb, the seeds of which are used for seasoning. The foliage is also used for flavoring as well as for medicinal purposes. Grows two to three feet high. Its largest use is pickling cucumbers in what is known as "Dill Pickles." Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

lb. 60c. Fennel, Sweet.

nel, Sweet. A hardy perennial, the leaves of which are used in soups, garnishes, and salads. The seed should be sown early and plants thinned to six or eight plants to foot of row. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; îb. \$1.00.

ehound. A hardy perennial shrub, one to three feet high, with whitish, hairy leaves, which are used in confectionery, and in medicines for coughs and colds. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c. sop. A hardy perennial sarub, growing eighteen inches high. Used for medicinal purposes, both green and dried. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c.

Hyssop.

ender. A hardy perennial, growing two feet high and forming a bush about four feet in diameter. Used as a garden plant on account of its fragrant blossoms and foliage. Its long, fragrant stems are frequently used for fancy work when dried. Pkt. 5c.; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

Sweet Marjoram. A half-hardy perennial, the leaves of which are used both green and dried for flavoring or seasoning. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

Rosemary. A hardy perennial shrub, the leaves of which are used for seasoning and medicinal purposes. Oil of Rosemary is distilled from the leaves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ½ 1b. \$1.00.

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Rue. A hardy perennial, thriving on poor soil. Has a peculiar smell; leaves are bitter. Is used as a stimulant, but should be used with caution, since its use sometimes results in injury. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ½ 1b. 90c.

Sage. A hardy perennial shrub, with whitish-green, oval, and very much wrinkled leaves, which have a pleasant smell and 'which are used for seasoning. It is easly grown and the seed can be sown almost any time. Its fragrant, purplish flowers are specially attractive to bees, and the finest white honey has its source in sage blossoms. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 60c; 1b. \$1.75.

Summer Savory. A hardy annual, the stems and leaves of which are used for flavoring dressings and soups. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c.

Winter Savory. A hardy perennial, the leaves of which are used for seasoning. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ½ 1b. 60c.

Tansy. A very easily grown perennial plant, growing about three feet high. Its leaves are used for medicinal purposes, especially for dropsy and kindred disorders. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ½ 1b. \$1.00.

Tarragon. The leaves are used for seasoning. The plants continue to bear leaves for a long period. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

Thyme. A low-growing, half-shrubby perennial, with fragrant leaves, having a mint-like odor, which are used for seasoning. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; ½ 1b. \$1.35.

Wornwood. A hardy perennial, growing about four feet high. The leaves, which are greatly divided, have a strong, bitter flavor. They are gathered in the Summer and dried, and are largely used in medicines for tonics and applications. Also used in liquors, especially absinthe. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 60c.

VEGETABLE PLANTS AND ROOTS

We carry the following plants in the season shown and pack them very carefully for shipping. The purchaser takes the risk of their wilting or being damaged in transit.

Artichoke Plants. January to May. Doz. \$1.25. Postage and

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Asparagus Roots. 2 years old. January to April.

Doz. 20c (postpaid 25c doz.); 100 \$1.00; \$7.00 per 1000.

Cabbage Plants. November to June. Doz. 15c; 100 \$1.5c; 100 \$1.00; doz. 20c, postpaid.

Cauliflower Plants. November to June. Doz. 20c; 100 \$1.00; doz. 25c, postpaid.

Celery Plants. March to May. Doz. 20c; 100 \$1.25; doz. 25c, postpaid.

25c, postpaid. Plant.

March 15th to May 15th. Doz. 25c; doz. 30c, postpaid. lic. November to May. 15c per lb.; 10 lbs. \$1.00;

25c per 1b., postpaid. Horse Radish Roots. Ja

January to May. Doz. 50c; doz. 55c. postpaid.

Pepper, Large Bell. March 15th to May.
100 \$1.50; doz. 30c, postpaid.

Pepper, Cayenne. March 15th to May.
\$1.50; doz. 30c, postpaid.

Rhubarb Roots. December to May. Each
\$1.50; doz. \$1.75, postpaid.

Rhubarb Roots, Crimson Winter. Each 25c; 5 Doz. 25c;

Doz. 25c; 100

Each 15c; doz.

Each 25c; 5 for \$1.00;

Rhubarb Roots, Crimson Winter. Each 25c; 5 for \$1.00; per 100 \$12.00; postage additional 15c each root.

Sweet Potatoes. April to June. Doz. 20c; 100 \$1.00; postpaid, \$1.25; doz. 25c, postpaid.

Tomato, Extra Early Plants. March. Doz. 25c.

Tomato, Stone, Etc. April to June. Doz. 20c; 100 \$1.25; doz. 25c, postpaid.

Herbs, Chives, Sweet Marjoram, Sage, Savory, Thyme, Tarragon. Two plants of any kind or assorted for 25c; postpaid, 30c. 25c; postpaid, 30c.

LAWN GRASSES

On the inside of the back cover you will find listed the various lawn grasses and lawn mixtures, together with directions for lawn making. Our lawn mixtures have made many fine lawns under conditions which were unfavorable and seemingly impossible. They are well worth trying. See inside of back cover for prices and descriptions.

Fertilizer. To insure a rapid growth of grass some kind of fertilizer is necessary, especially in lawns where the nourishment of the soil has been used up by continuously growing on the same place. We have a fertilizer especially prepared to invigorate the growth of grass and to keep it that dark green color. Use one and one-half pounds to one hundred square feet and make two applications each year. By express or freight only. Odorless Lawn Dressing, 10 lbs. 60c; 25 lbs. \$1.25; 50 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$3.50.

"Lawns and How to Make Them," is an excellent, well illustrated book, dealing with lawns and lawn grasses and should be consulted where more information is required. Mailed for \$1.35.

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MORSE'S CALIFORNIA LAWN MIXTURE. Our best general mixture for fine lawns, contains only the finest leaved grasses in the correct proportion to make a good fine turf which will wear as no other can and will still look well summer and winter. By express or freight. Per lb., 35c; per 100 lbs. \$30.00. Postpaid per PACIFIC RYE GRASS (MORSE'S). Makes a fine bright green lawn on sandy soils. Per 1b. 25c; 100 lbs. \$20.00, if by mail, 1b. 35c.

MORSE'S "GOLDEN GATE PARK" LAWN MIXTURE.
very hardy mixture, containing a little white clor
Per lb. 25c; 100 lbs. \$20.00; if by mail, lb., 35c. white clover.

AUSTRALIAN RYE GRASS. Per 1b. 15c; 100 lbs. \$10.00; if by mail, 1b., 25c.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS. Makes a fine dark green lawn. Per lb. 25c; 100 lbs. \$20.00; if by mail, lb., 35c.

MORSE'S SPECIAL SHADE MIXTURE. A lawn sunless spots. Per lb. 50c; if by mail, lb., 60c. lawn grass for

MORSE'S VELVET LAWN MIXTURE. A lawn grass fo wet places. Per 1b. 35c; 100 lbs. \$30.00; by mail, 1b., 45c.

WHITE CLOVER. The dwarf clover for lawns. Per lb. 60c; 100 lbs, at market price; if by mail, lb., 70c.

PLANTING FOR MORSE'S

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Variety	Quantity of Seed for 100 ft. of Row	Quantity of Seed Needed for 1 Acre. Field Culture	General Time of Sowing where Winters are Cold	Time of Sowing about San Francisco and Central Cal.
ARTICHOKE	½ oz. (3 pkts.) 17 plants 3 lbs.	6 oz. T. 2904 plants 5-7 sacks	Early Spring. Spring. Spring.	Sept. to Jan. T. Jan. to March. February to May.
ASPARAGUS (Seed)	1 oz. 50 • About 1 lb.	1 lb.in seed bed. T. 1,800-3,000 50 lbs.	Early Spring. Early Spring. Late Spring.	February to April. T. December to April. April to August. S.
" Pole. BEETS BROCCOLI	8 oz. 2 oz. ½ oz. (1 pkt.)	25 lbs. 7 lbs. 2-3 oz. T.	Late Spring. Spring. Spring.	April 15th to August. S. All year round. S. January to May.
BRUSSELS SPROUTS. CABBAGE. CARROT.	½ oz. (2 pkts.) ½ oz. (2 pkts.) 1 oz.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Early Spring. Early Spring. Spring.	Jan. to March—July to August. T Jan. to April—July to October. T. All year round. S.
CAULIFLOWER. CELERY. CHERVIL	½ oz. ½ oz. (2 pkts.) 1 oz.	2 oz. T. 2 oz. T.	Early Spring. Spring (rather late). Early Spring.	June to January. January to June. T. February to May.
CHICORY COLLARDS CORN SALAD	14 oz. (1 pkt.) 14 oz. (1 pkt.) 2 oz.	4 lbs. 2-3 oz. T.	Early Spring. Early and Late Spring. Early Spring and Late Summer.	February to April. All year round. March and April—Sept. to November
CORN CUCUMBER. DANDELION	1½ lbs. per 100 hills $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. (2 pkts.) $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. (4 pkts.)	15 lbs. 3 lbs.	Late Spring. Late Spring. Spring.	April 20th to July 15th. April 15th to June 15th. May and June.
EGG PLANT. ENDIVE. HORSE RADISH.	1/8 oz. (1 pkt.) 1 oz. 70 roots	4 oz. T. 4 lbs.	Early Spring in Hot-bed. Spring.	February to April. T. July to October. January to May.
KALE	1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)	2 lbs.	Spring.	January to April—July to October.
KOHL RABI	½ oz. (1 pkt.)	4 lbs.	Early Spring.	January to May—July to October.
LEEK. LETTUCE. MUSKMELON.	½ oz. ½ oz. (3 pkts.) ½ oz. (3 pkts.)	4 lbs. 4 lbs. 3 lbs.	Early Spring. Early and Late Spring. Late Spring and Early Summer.	January to March. All year round. S. April 20th to June.
WATERMELON MUSTARD OKRA	1 oz. ½ oz. (1 pkt.)	2-4 lbs. 2-3 lbs. 8 lbs.	Late Spring. Spring. Late Spring.	May to June. February to May. April 15th to June.
ONION PARSLEY PARSNIP	½ oz. ¼ oz. (1 pkt.) ¼ oz. (2 pkts.)	4 lbs. 3 lbs. 3 lbs.	Early Spring. Spring. Early Spring.	November to March. All year round. March to June.
PEAS PEPPER POTATO, Irish	2 lbs. ½ oz. (1 pkt.) 5 lbs.	60–125 lbs. 3 oz. T. 5–6 sacks	Early and Late Spring. Early Spring in Hot-bed. Late Spring.	All year round. S. February to March. T. January to May.
" Sweet	75 slips ½ oz. (2 pkts.) 1 oz.	9,680 plants 3 or 4 lbs. 10 lbs.	Late Spring. Late Spring. Spring. S.	May to June. All year round. S.
RHUBARB	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 33 plants 1 oz.	1 lb. 2,420 8 lbs.	Spring. Early Spring. Early Spring.	February to May. T. January to April. February to May.
SPINACH SQUASH TOMATO	1 oz. ½ oz. (2 pkts.) ½ oz. (1 pkt.)	8 lbs. 2-3 lbs. 2 oz. T.	Early Spring and Fall. Late Spring. Early Spring in Hot-beds.	All year round. S. May to June. February to May. T.
TURNIP.	½ oz. (3 pkts.)	3–4 lbs.	Spring and Summer.	August to April. S.

GENERAL NOTES

The information given here is as accurate as can be gathered allowing for the different ways of planting and different distances practiced in various parts of the coast. The usual distances are here given and the planter must use his judgment for his particular case. Where garden cultivation is by wheel hoe, the greater distance is better employed, and where it is by hand work, the smaller distance or even less may be better. If the patch will be cultivated by horse, the distances in the field culture column should be used.

The depth at which to plant seed cannot be given more than approximately because it varies so much with the condition of the moisture in the soil and the time of year. All seeds must have air, moisture and heat to germinate. Five times the diameter of the seed is approximately right for good conditions, but for sowing in the rainy season and in wet soils that is too deep, and for sowing the same seed in the dry season it is too shallow. For field culture, sow comparatively deep late in Spring and when the ground is becoming dry. The Seed Drill must get the seed to moist earth, and if rain is not expected it must be rolled or otherwise well firmed to get the soil packed tightly around. This will aid germination greatly. Firm only lightly, soils which are heavy or wet. Seed to be sown in dry soil may be soaked for two or three hours only in tepid water to hasten it. Such seed will not then go through a drill.

"S" placed in the column of "Time for Sowing about San Francisco and Central California," means that those sorts are sown for succession. Usually the plantings are made two weeks apart. Other sorts are often planted early and again late for crops at two different seasons.

"T," placed in the same column of "Time for sowing about San Francisco," means that those sorts are always started in boxes or beds and later transplanted.

"T," placed in the column of "Quantity of Seed needed for 1 Acre," is to mark those sorts which are usually sown in beds and later transplanted to the garden, and always transplanted to the field. These are sown without heat or with but very little, excepting Egg Plant, Pepper and Tomato, which require heat to do well.

There is inserted a column of comparative dates for those who live in the mountains and where Winters are cold.

TABLE VEGETABLE SEEDS

Variety		Donth	"Field C		"Garden Culture"		
	Crop Matures	Depth	For Horse	Cultivation	For Hand	Cultivation	
	(In About)	Plant	Put Rows Apart	Leave Plants Apart in Rows	Put Rows Apart	Leave Plants Apart in Rows	
	Second Spring	1"	5 ft.	3 ft.	3 ft.	2-3 ft.	
" Plants (Globe) (Jerusalem)		2-3"	5 ft. 4 ft.	3 ft. 3 ft.	4 ft. 2 ft.	2-3 ft. 1-2 ft.	
	Third Spring	1" 3-5"	1-2 ft. in bed 7 or 8 ft.	3" 2 or 3 ft.	1 ft. 2 ft.	3–5" 15–20"	
BEANS, Bush	-	1/2-2"	24-30'' 36''	4" 4-6"	18-24"	3-4"	
" PoleBEETSBROCCOLI	65 days, up	1-2" 3/4-2" 1/2"	20-24" 30-40"	6-10" 15"	3–4 ft. hills 12–18" 24–30"	3-4 ft. 2-4" 12-18"	
BRUSSELS SPROUTS	6 months 90-150 days	1/2" 1/2" 1/2-3/4"	30–36" 30–36" 22–28"	16-24" 15-18" 4"	24-30" 24-30" 12-18"	16-24" 12-18" 2"	
	Early 110 days 6 months	1/4" 1/4" 1/8" 3/4"	30–36" 4 ft.	24-30"	24-30" 18-20"	14–18"	
CHERVIL		34"	30–36′′	4"	18-20"	3-4"	
COLLARDS	4 months	½" ½" ½" ½-1"	30–36" 30–36" 30"	6-10" 15-18" 4"	18–20" 18–20" 12–18"	2-4" 14-18" 2"	
CORN	80-100 days 120 days	1-2"	36-42" 6 ft.	30–36" , 4–6"	36" hills 4-6 ft.	24–30'' 4 ft. hills	
DANDELION EGG PLANT		1/4-1/2" 1/4"	30" 30–36"	8-12" 18-24"	18-24'' 24-30''	8" 18"	
ENDIVE	100 days	1/2-1" 4"	30'' 30–40''	8-12" 16-20"	18" · 24–30"	8-10'' 14''	
KALE		1/2"	30-36"	18-24"	18-24"	18-24" or broadcast in beds	
KOHL RABI	4 months	1/2"	24-30"	4-8"	18''	4-6"	
LETTUCE	Late Summer 65 days, up 120-140 days	1/2" 1/4" 1-2"	22-28" 22" 6-8 ft,	5" 6-12" 4 ft.	12-14" 15-18" 4 to 6 ft. hills	4" 4-6" 4 to 5 ft.	
WATERMELON	120-140 days Early	1-2" 14" 1"	8-12 ft. 30"	8 to 10 ft.	8 ft. hills 12-18"	6 ft. 3"	
OKRA ONION PARSLEY	135-150 days Any time	1/2-1"	4-5 ft. 22-28" 24-36" 24-30"	24-30" 5" 3-6" 6-8"	3 ft. 12–14" 12–18"	24" 4" 4" 5"	
PARSNIP. PEAS. PEPPER	8 to 12 weeks 130–150 days	1/4-1/2" 2-4" 1/4" 4-8"	24-36" 24-36" 24-36" 3-3½ ft.	3-4" 15-18" 12-18"	14 and 36" 18" 30"	2" 14" 18" hills	
POTATO, Irish "Sweet PUMPKIN RADISH	100-125 days	3" 1-2" 1/2"	30–36" 10 ft, 22"	18" 8 ft.	30" 8 ft. hills 12–18"	10" 8 ft. 1 or 1½"	
RHUBARB	Second Spring Next Spring	3-4"	6 ft. 6 ft. 24–30"	3 ft. 3 or 4 ft. 3-4"	12" 4 ft. 12-15"	4" 3 ft.	
SALSIFY SPINACH SQUASH TOMATO	40 to 45 days S. 65 and W. 150 days	½-1" ½-1" 1-2" ¼-½"	24-30" 24-30" 6 to 8 ft. 6 ft.	4-6" 4 to 8 ft. 6 ft.	12-15" 12-18" 8 ft. hills 4-6 ft. hills	3-4" 4 to 6 ft. 3-6 ft.	
TURNIP		1/4-1/2"	22-30"	4-8"	10–18"	3-8"	

There are three terms used there, which we define as follows:

"Early Spring," means as soon as the buds in the trees begin to swell, and the ground can be worked into gardening condition. This may be in March or April. Frosts have not passed, and such plants, if not too succulent, will stand a frost.

"Spring," refers to those vegetables which are not so hardy as the above and which are usually planted later because they do so much better planted later. If, for any reason, early planting is necessary, they can be put in a week after the foregoing.

"Late Spring," is the time of the year when the ground is well warmed and all frosts are passed. This probably will

be in May.

"Early Summer," means planting in June and July.

HOT-BEDS for forcing plants are best made in the following manner:—Dig out a space the size of your frame to a depth of two feet. Into this put fresh horse manure mixed with a good deal of bedding straw, to a depth of one foot or eighteen inches. Tread this down well and on top spread ten inches of good soil mixed with sand. The frame is just four sides of one-inch board and made to slope toward the South from eighteen inches at back, fifteen to twelve inches at front. The distance from front to back is three feet and the frame is as long as required. Put over this, glazed sash which can be hinged at back. This sash is raised during the day to prevent the bed over-heating and the plants from growing tall, spindly and weak. The sash must be white-washed or covered with a sack if the sun gets too hot. Sow the seed in rows from front to back, and they will quickly start. Care must be taken to give ventilation each day, or the plants will damp off, and when ready to plant out, lift the sash higher each succeeding day, so as to harden the plants. Water most carefully. Set the frame in a sunny spot sheltered from the prevailing winds.

For our California conditions, that is but very slight cold, the bed does not need to be so hot. Mix the fresh horse manure with a good amount of chaff or dry leaves so that it will be less hot. Also sow the seed in little boxes, about eighteen by fifteen inches, in prepared light soil. These boxes make the plants easy to handle and the boxes can be raised and a board put under them if the ground becomes too hot. There is also an advantage in using cloth instead of glass to cover the frame as this is less liable to let the plants over-heat. A cold frame is the same as a hot bed placed on the even ground and in which no horse manure has been added to give heat. This is good to start early Cabbage and the

other early vegetable plants, except Egg Plant, Pepper and Tomato.



WE ARE HEADQUARTERS IN CALIFORNIA FOR ALFALFA, CLOVERS AND GRASS SEEDS

ALFALFA

ALFALFA (MEDICAGO SATIVA), and also known as valuable forage or pasture grasses; it is very nutritious both as green feed and as hay. It requires moist land or frequent irrigation and bears from four to six crops of hay a year. It does well in almost any climate and as it draws nitrogen from the air, it naturally improves any soil when is sown to it.

The land should be prepared by deep plowing and thorough harrowing and should be well drained, for Alfalfa will not stand moisture too close to the surface. It can be either drilled or broadcasted in and from 15 lbs. to 25 lbs. per acre is required. It is best to sow in the fall, after the first rain, but can also be sown in the spring; but fall sowing is recommended whenever possible.

Alfalfa Seed is graded by the amount of dead matter and the percentage of weed seeds it contains. The very worst weed is dodder, (called also Golden Thread and Love Vine) which is a yellow parasitic plant with abundant stems but no leaves and which gathers its nutrition from the Alfalfa plant, killing it quickly and spreading to other plants. Isolated spots may be checked by hauling straw to the place and burning it. It is one of the very worst weeds we have, if not the worst, and a little thought will show that Alfalfa which contains no dodder is worth several cents per pound more than Alfalfa Seed is grown out of the State, on high land and before putting it on sale we determine the purity by government test, although inspection before purchasing may show the seed to be free from dodder. There is no other weed that we are so fearful of, for generally they are either annuals or biennials, which are destroyed after a few cuttings. We handle several grades of Alfalfa Seed and are in a position to supply

seed of most any value the customer may want, although it pays to plant only the best. Prospective customers can secure samples and have tests made free of charge at the Branch Seed Testing Laboratory, University of California, Berkeley, Cal.

We handled twenty-two carloads of alfalfa last year, and are always prepared to quote the lowest market prices for seed. Lb. 35c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; larger quantities at market price; write or wire.

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Arabian Alfalfa. Is admirably suited to our irrigated sections, especially in the San Joaquin Valley, and has outgrown the experimental stage so that we have no hesitancy in recommending it highly; of rapid and luxuriant growth. We have the large seeded type, which was the sort originally sent out by the United States Dept. of Agriculture. 50c per lb, postpaid; by freight 40c per lb, 10 lbs \$250. Agriculture. 500 1b.; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

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Peruvian Alfalfa. A new long season variety just put on the market now. A grand variety for Southern California. See Novelty, page 2. Lb. 50c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00. Please write in regard to larger quantities.

Turkestan or Dry-land Alfalfa. We make direct importations of this seed and we can recommend it for situations where water is not abundant. We suggest that it be seeded a little heavier than the ordinary type, as it is inclined to become coarse and woody; and thick sowing will produce finer plants. It is proving very satisfactory in the San Joaquin and Sacramento Valleys, and other parts of the State, where it is not possible to irrigate. We can supply this in original package, or in smaller quantities. 40c per lb. postpaid; by freight or express, lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50. Write or wire us on larger quantities.

CLOVER SEEDS

The prices of some varieties of Clover, Grass and Field seeds may change as the season advances. Prices now given are those prevailing when this catalog was published. It will be to advantage of intending purchasers to write for samples and special prices before ordering in large quantities.

ALSIKE, OR SWEDISH CLOVER

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(Trifolium Hybridum.) A perennial variety, sometimes preferred to Red Clover, as it is generally finer and makes better hay for horses. The blossoms are also valuable for bees. Alsike succeeds on wet, cold and stiff soils. When used alone, sow 8 to 10 lbs. per acre. Lb. 40c, postpaid; by freight or express, lb, 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50; larger quantities on application.

Bokhara, or Sweet Clover (Melilotus Alba). Grows 3 to 5 feet high, covered with small white flowers of great fragrance. Very valuable for bee pasture. Sow 10 pounds to the acre. Lb. 40c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

Burr Clover (Medicago Denticulata). The native forage plant of California. Of the easiest culture, growing all winter and well into summer. We offer only "Hulled seed," which is much easier to sow than in the burr. Sow from August to October, using 15 to 20 pounds of hulled seed per acre. Lb. 35c, postpaid; by express or freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$1.75.

Mammoth Red or Sapling (Trifolium pratense). Similar to Red Clover, but coarser, taller and more hardy. Sow from 12 to 15 pounds per acre. Lb. 40c, postpaid; by freight, lb. 30c.

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Crimson, or Italian (Trifolium Incarnatum). variety, growing 20 to 30 inches high, and having long, crimson blossoms. Excellent for both pasture and hay. Sow from 12 to 15 pounds per acre, and cut for hay when in full bloom. Lb. 35c, postpaid; by freight, lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.20.

Japan Clover. (Lespedeza Striata). Thrives in any soil and in the driest seasons; it makes fair hay and stock eat it readily when green. Sow in the spring, 15 lbs. per acre. **Lb. 50c, postpaid; by frt., lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

RED CLOVER (TRIFOLIUM PRATENSE). Standard clover for all purposes. Yields the heaviest crop of any variety except alfalfa, makes superior hay, especially if mixed with Timothy. Sow from 12 to 15 pounds per acre. Lb. 40c, postpaid; by freight, lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

WHITE DUTCH (TRIFOLIUM REPENS). Dwarf, Spreading vine-like variety, with white blossoms; used largely for bee pasture. It is also an excellent pasture plant for either sheep or cattle; also makes a beautiful lawn. Sow 10 pounds per acre. Lb. 70c, postpaid; by freight, lb. 60c.

GRASSES

Add 10c per pound for all grass seeds ordered by mail; prices below do not include postage.

AWNLESS BROME GRASS (Bromus Inermis). Will stand droughts and produce heavy crops in dry sections and on poor soils where other grasses perish. It is one of the hardiest grasses and succeeds on our dry hillsides. Sow 35 lbs. per acre. Lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$17.00.

muda Grass (Cynodon Dactylon). Named after the Atlantic Islands of that name. It is a dwarf perennial plant and spreads by means of its long and many-jointed root stalks, and for this reason is hard to eradicate once it has secured a foothold; thrives during the hottest part of the year, and will live under water for a long time; makes a durable lawn and is also used to hold embankments. This grass is much used for lawns about Sacramento. The seed is very slow to germinate and requires heat and moisture. Sow 10 nkments. The seed is ver. Sacramento. The seed is ver. germinate and requires helbs. per acre. **Per 1b. \$1.00.**

Creeping Bent Grass (Agrostis Stolonifera). Being of fine texture this grass is most valuable for lawns and ideal for putting greens. It is of rapid growth and spreading habit and makes a strong, enduring turf. Sow 40 lbs. per acre. Lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.75; 100 lbs.

in moderate quantity in permanent pasture and lawn mixtures. It does well in the shade, roots deeply, is stoloniferous and perennial. Valuable in mixture for lawns, putting greens, and for pasture. If sown alone, 30 lbs. should be used per acre. Lb. 60c; 10 lbs. \$4.50.

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Hard Pescue (Festuca Duriuscula). A dwarf-growing grass, forming a dense, turfted mat, succeeding well in dry situations. Valuable as pasture on dry lands and sandy soils. Not recommended for lawns. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.25; 100 lbs. \$30.00.

Hungarian Millet (Panicum Germanicum). Is a valuable quick growing annual forage plant. Seed is good for poultry. Cut for fodder just before blooming. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; 100 lbs. \$5.50.

Italian Rve Grass (Lolium Italicum). Thrives in almost

30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; 100 lbs. \$5.50.

Italian Rye Grass (Lolium Italicum). Thrives in almost any soil and yields early and abundant crops. Sown in the fall, will produce an excellent hay crop the following season, but lasts only one year. Much sown in Humboldt County for pasture and hay. Not recommended for lawns. Sow 50 lbs. per acre. Lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 100 lbs. \$9.00.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS (Poa Pratensis). Fancy or double, extra clean. Though offered at the standard weight of 14 lbs. per bushel, the natural weight of this fancy seed is 20 lbs. per measured bushel. As this grass takes some time to become established, it is preferably sown in mixtures for pasturage. Is truly perennial and prefers lime soils. As a lawn grass grass takes some time to become established, it is prererably sown in mixtures for pasturage. Is truly perennial and prefers lime soils. As a lawn grass it is the finest there is—spreading habit, even texture, permanent, fine leaf and dark color. For pasture sow 50 lbs. per acre; for lawns 4 or 5 lbs. per 1,000 square feet. Lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.25; 100 lbs. \$20.00.

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Meadow Fescue, or English Blue Grass (Festuca Pratensis).

A valuable grass for permanent pastures, and for meadows for cutting which are rather damp. Makes a quick second growth, but does not do well on dry soils. Often sown in mixtures. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.25; 100 lbs. \$38.00.

Meadow Foxtail (Alopecurus Pratensis). One of the best grasses for permanent pasture, early and of rapid growth. Is never sown alone, but always in mixtures, using about 4 lbs. per acre. Lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50; 100

Mesquite (Holcus lanatus). Valuable on the aloned

Ibs. \$33.00.

Mesquite (Holcus lanatus). Valuable on the cleared redwood and pine lands of California and Oregon, giving large crops of hay and good pasture. Sow 35 lbs. per acre. Lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; 100 lbs. \$16.00.

Millet German (Panicum Germanicum; Var.). Will grow on any good land and yields heavily when artificially watered; yields from 40 to 60 bushels of seed per acre, which is excellent food for stock or poultry. A good, green fodder plant. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 19c; 10 lbs. 30c; 100 lbs. \$6.00.

ORCHAED GRASS, OR COCKSFOOT (Dactylis Glomerata).
One of the most valuable of all pasture grasses; produces an immense quantity of forage, and hay of best quality. After being mown, comes up quickly and yields very heavily. Suitable for pasture under trees. Sown in the ashes on cleared redwood land in Humboldt County. Not suitable for lawns as it grows in tussocks. Sow 35 lbs. per acre. Lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.75; 100 lbs. \$23.00. tussocks. Sow 100 lbs. \$23.00.

Pearl Millet (Pencillaria). A perennial plant for fodder. Grows tall and yields an enormous amount of corn-like leaves. Sown in drills or broadcast, using 3 to 5 lbs. per acre if in drills, or 25 lbs. broadcast. Lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.75; 100 lbs. \$15.00.

Perennial Rye Grass (Lolium Perenne). It grows rapidly and makes a good showing within month from time of sowing; grows very rapidly. The great pasture and meacow grass of Great Britain. Valuable for planting early on dry hillsides, as it grows so very quickly. A good lawn grass, but a little coarse. Sow 60 lbs. per acre. Lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

AUSTRALIAN RYE GRASS. Especially selected and recleaned, for lawns; does especially well on sandy soils. Sow 5 lbs. per 1,000 square feet. Lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; 100 lbs. \$10.00.

Red, or Creeping Fescue (Festuca Rubra). Forms a

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Red, or Creeping Fescue (Festuca Rubra). Forms a close, rich sod and is valuable in lawns and should be in shade mixtures. Makes a close, lasting turf on dry, sandy soils, and can be used to bind dry banks. Also an excellent bottom grass for moist mixture. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.75; 100 lbs. \$35.00.

RED TOP (Agrostis Vulgaris). Herd's grass. Second only to Timothy as hay grass and better if the ground is to be pastured afterward for Red Top makes one of the best permanent pastures. Succeeds on all soils, though doing best on moist and even swampy land. A permanent grass and valuable as a lawn grass, giving quick effect. Sow 40 lbs. per acre. In Chaff, lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50; 100 lbs. \$12.00. Fancy, Free from Chaff. Sow 15 lbs. per acre. Lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50; 100 lbs. \$22.00.

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Rhode Island Bent Grass (Agrostis Canina). Like Red Top, this grass accommodates itself to all soils. Especially valuable for lawns on sand at the sea coast; from it the lawns at Newport are largely made. Is perennial, dwarf, and makes a beautiful, fine, close turf. For lawn sow 50 lbs. per acre. Lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$42.5; 100 lbs. \$40.00.

Rough-Stalk Meadow Grass (Poa Trivialis). Excellent for pastures and meadows, particularly on damp soils. As a lawn grass it forms a fine turf and does well in shaded locations. Sow 20 lbs, per acre. Lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00; 100 lbs. \$35.00.

Sheep's Fescue (Festuca Ovina). Short and dense in growth, excellent for sheep pastures, because it will thrive on poor, gravelly, shallow or hilly soils where other grasses fail. Not recommended for lawns under ordinary conditions because it bunches. Sow 35 lbs. per acre. Lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$25.00.

Sweet Vernal, True Perennial (Anthoxanthum Odoratum). Emits an agreeable odor, which it imparts to hay or to the lawn when being cut. Sow only in mixtures, using 2 or 3 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 75c.

Tall Fescue (Festuca Elatior). Early, nutritive and productive in permanent pastures on wet or clay soils. On moist lands yields a large amount of good hay. Height 3 to 4 feet. Not suitable for lawns. Sow 40 lbs. per acre. Lb. 60c; 10 lbs. \$5.50; 100 lbs. \$50.00.

Tall Meadow Oat Grass (Avena Elatior). Of rapid luxuriant growth, recommended for soiling and in permanent hay mixtures, also for winter grazing. This variety is not a lawn grass. Sow 50 lbs per acre. Lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00; 100 lbs. \$5.700.

TIMOTHY (Phleum Pratense). The grade we offer is particularly "choice." free from weed seeds and of high germinating power. Timothy is the great standard hay grass of the eastern part of the country. It makes hay of the best quality and produces a larger crop on good soil than any other grass. Not adapted for past

PASTURE MIXTURES

We have two mixtures of grasses which are excellent for pastures. They contain all of the best grasses for feeding, including those highly priced. No effort or expense has been spared to get the best. These will outlast and outyield any single grass. We recommend the addition of 2 lbs. of Red Clover, and 1 lb. of Burr Clover to the Morse's Dry Pasture Mixture, and of 2 lbs. of Alsyke Clover to the Wet Pasture Mixture. If wanted for hay add to each 50 lbs. 5 lbs. of Timothy. Sow 40 lbs. per acre.

MORSE'S DRY PASTURE MIXTURE, Per lb. 30c; per 10

lbs. \$2.75; per 100 lbs. \$25.00.

For grasses and clovers which have prices that fluctuate, write for samples and market quotations.

If ordered by mail, 10 cents per pound must be added to above prices for postage.

MISCELLANEOUS FIELD SEEDS

Alfilaria (Erodium cicutarium). One of the most nutritious of fodder plants and well liked by cattle and horses. Alfilaria will thrive and make a good pasture on dry hillsides. May be found on Mt. Tamalpais as a pasture. Sow 20 lbs. per acre. Per 1/4 lb. 50c; per lb. \$1.50, nostnaid. postpaid.

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Australian Salt Bush (Atriplex semi-bacata). A valuable forage plant for poor soils, especially those containing alkali. Sow seed in the fall to get the benefit of early rains, using 1 to 2 pounds per acre. After the plant gets a good start; it will grow with very little moisture. In cutting fodder be careful not to injure the crown of the plants. Oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00, all postpaid.

Broom Corn (Improved Evergreen). Used for making brooms, and extensively used on account of its green color and fine long straight brush. It grows about 7 feet bigh. Sow 10 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. at market prices. Lb. 20c, postpaid.

Buckwheat (Japanese). The best and most profitable variety. It is earlier than Silver Hulled and usually more productive. Is also excellent for bee pasture. Sow 25 lbs. per acre. Lb. 10c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Buckwheat (Silver Hulled). A very good and popular variety. Grain is of a light color, rounder than the common variety; has a much thinner husk, earlier. Sow 25 lbs. per acre. Lb. 10c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Canary. The seed is used for bird food. Is valuable also as an ornamental grass and has considerable merit as hay. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 70c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Canada Field Peas. A strong, vigorous pea often planted for green manure to plow under in the spring. Makes an excellent winter growth when sown in fall; very useful for fodder. Sow 100 to 150 lbs. per acre broadcast. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; larger quantities on application; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Cow Peas (Black Eye). Used largely for green manure. It is also valuable if allowed to mature the seed, when the dry vines can be plowed under and the seed used to grind as feed for stock. If for green manure, sow broadcast, using 80 lbs. per acre. If for seed or fodder, sow in rows 3 feet apart, using 40 lbs. per acre. Sow late in spring. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 80c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

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to horses to give temporary fire and vigor. Lb. 35c, postpaid.

Flax Seed. Should be sown in the spring on moist land, using 30 pounds of seed per acre if grown for a seed crop, or twice that quantity if intended for a crop of fiber. Lb. 20c, postpaid.

Hairy Vetch (Vicia Villosa). A pea-like plant growing about 4 feet high and doing well on dry, sandy soils for forage. Also a valuable green manure plant for sowing in the fall. Sow broadcast 30 to 50 pounds per acre. Sown in the fall this plant may be cut twice; is perfectly hardy and grows well in winter. Lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00; lb. 35c, postpaid.

Hemp (Kentucky Hemp). A staple crop for manufacturing, sown broadcast, using 25 pounds of seed per acre. For a seed crop, should be sown in hills 4 feet apart. Grows 12 to 14 feet high, with deep cut, dark-green leaves, which are rather fragrant. Makes a stately row along a walk, and is an interesting garden annual. The seed is used for birdseed. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Jersey or Cow Kale. A tall-growing variety having a large bunch of cabbage-like leaves on top of a stout stem. Is much grown for chicken and cow feed. The green feed from these plants is very great, and is borne continuously. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

Kaffir Corn. Grows from 6 to 10 feet high and thrives in hot, dry climates. Makes good fodder for cattle, and the seed is used for stock and chicken food. Sown in rows 3 feet aoart, using 6 to 8 pounds per acre. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; lb. 20c, postpaid.

Milo Maize. A non-saccharine sorghum, useful for the large amount of foliage, green feed or cured fodder that it furnishes and for its grain. Sow in spring, using

vigorous grower, making long vines and good roots. Sow broadcast, using 100 to 150 pounds of seed per acre. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c; lb. 20c, postpaid; Larger quantities on application.

Paspalum Dilitatum, or Dallis Grass. A new grass for hot, dry climates. A hardy perennial from Australia, growing 5 feet high, without getting tough, and seems to be particularly adapted for grazing dairy cattle. It stands drought remarkably well, and shoots rapidly again with the first shower of rain, and is a splendid winter grass. The seed requires about 3 weeks of moist, genial weather to germinate it, but once established, it seems to stand anything. Sow 8 or 10 lbs. per acre. Oz. 10c: 1b. 75c. postpaid. 10c; lb. 75c, postpaid.

Rape (Dwarf Essex). A biennial crop, used principally for sheep pasture, of which it yields an abundance of the best quality. Is usually sown broadcast on ranges, using 4 to 5 lbs. per acre. Lb. 15c; 10 lbs. \$1.25; lb. 25c, postpaid.

Soja Bean. Valuable as a forage crop or green manure. Also as a green fodder and silo plant. Sow 30 pounds per acre, after danger from frost is passed. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 80c; lb. 25c, postpaid.

Spring Vetches, or Tares (Vicia Sativa). A plant resembling pea vines and valuable for forage or green manure. It is usually sown with oats or wheat to hold them up. Sow 60 pounds per acre with grain, or 80 to 100 pounds if sown alone. Is hardy and makes a fine winter growth. Largely planted in the orange groves of the South for green manure and plowed under in spring. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 70c; lb. 20c, postpaid. Larger quantities on application

Sugar Cane (Sorghum), Early Amber. A good fodder if cut when two feet high. Is nutritious and yields a heavy crop. Sow late in April, using ten pounds seed per acre in drills, or twenty-five pounds broadcast. Lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 80c; larger quantities on application. Early Orange. A strong, productive variety, either for fodder or for syrup. Lb. 15c; lb. 25c, postpaid; larger quantities on application.

Sunflower (Large Russian). A variety bearing large heads, frequently 12 to 20 inches in diameter and sometimes yielding 1000 pounds of seed per acre. The seed is used for feeding chickens and parrots. Sow in the open field as soon as danger from frost is over, using 3 pounds of seed per acre, sowing in rows 5 feet apart and thinning to 1-foot. Lb. 20c., postpaid; lb. 10c; 10 lbs. 75c. and thinnin 10 lbs. 75c.

Netches are superior in our opinion for this purpose. The seed is fed to hogs to aid in fattening them, and to horses to give temporary fire and vigor. Lb. 35c, postpaid.

Flax Seed. Should be sown in the spring on moist land, using 30 pounds of seed per acre if grown for a seed crop, or twice that quantity if intended for a crop of a foet. Lb. 20c, postpaid.

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BIRD SEEDS

Prices do not include postage. Blue Maw (Blue Poppy). 25c lb.
Canary Seed. 10c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c; 7 lbs. 50c; 15 lbs. \$1.00.
Corn, Parrot Soft Mexican. Lb. 10c; 4 lbs. 25c.
Cuttle Fish Bone. 35c lb.

Hemp. 10c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c; 6 lbs. 50c.

Millet, Recleaned. 10c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c; 8 lbs. 50c; 16 lbs. \$1.00.

Mixed Bird Seed. A large per cent of Canary. 10c lb.; 3 lbs.
25c; 8 lbs. 50c; 16 lbs. \$1.00.

Rape. 10c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c; 8 lbs. 50c; 16 lbs. \$1.00.

Sunflower. 10c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c; 6 lbs. 50c; 14 lbs. \$1.00.

Mixed Bird Seed. Packed in 1-lb. cartons, including Gravel and Cuttlebone, 10c each.

CALIFORNIA TREE AND SHRUB SEEDS

The vitality of tree and shrub seeds cannot be tested before the sale, but only such seeds are sent out as we believe will give complete satisfaction. No guarantee of genuineness or germination can be given, and we presume that parties ordering have read the above and agree to the conditions.

Price per Packet, 10 cents, except where noted

- Abies Douglasii (Douglas Spruce). A very large and important timber tree 200 to 300 feet high; of pyramid shape. Found throughout the Rocky Mountains, from Oregon to Mexico. Very hardy. Oz. 30c; lb. \$3.00.

 California Pan Palm (Washingtonia Filifera). Our well-known hardy fan palm with threads on the leaves. The leaves hang on after they have dried. Oz. 15c;
- lb. \$1.50.
- Christmas Berry (Photinia Arbutifolia). A California Evergreen shrub, 10 feet high, bearing clusters of bright red berries. These are gathered for decorations at Christmas time and are familiar to nearly everyone.

 Oz. 20c; lb. \$1.50.
- Cupressus Arizonica (Blue Cypress). A handsome tree with horizontal branches and open head. Forty feet high and very blue in color. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- Goveniana (Goven's Cypress). 30 to 40 feet high; very ornamental; found in the Coast Ranges of Monterey. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- Lawsoniana (Lawson's Cypress). A handsome tree, with white fragrant wood, free from knots; easily worked and very durable. Oz. 40c; lb. \$4.00.
- Macrocarpa (Monterey Cypress). A tree 40 to 60 feet high rough bark; spreading, horizontal branches, rich green foliage; very ornamental for lawns or parks; also used extensively for hedges. Oz. 15c; lb. \$1.50.
- Pyramidalis (Italian Cypress). This variety is of upright pyramidal growth, and is much used in cemeteries. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- Grevillea Robusta (Silk Oak of East Australia). Beautiful fern-like foliage; of rapid growth, flowering when about 20 feet in height; covered with bright orange-scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; lb. \$5.00.
- Libocedrus Decurrens (Thuya Craigiana). A fine, h timber tree: known as White Cedar of California. 40c; lb. \$4.00.
- Madrone. A beautiful native tree of California. The foliage is a deep green and leathery; it attains a considerable size; flowers white. Pkt. 25c.
- zanita. A low-growing tree or shrub, bearing attractive white blossoms and beautiful red berries. Pkt. 25c.

- Picea Grandis (Western Balsam Fir). Grows 200 to 300 feet high, 4 to 6 feet in diameter; grows rapidly in rich, moist soil; valuable timber tree. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- Picca Magnifica. The Red Pir of the Sierras, found at an altitude of 7000 feet; very hardy. Oz. 50c; lb. \$5.00.
- Date Palm (Phoenix Canariensis). A beautiful, long-leaved variety growing to an immense height. 100 seeds for 25c; 1000 seeds for \$1.50.
- Dracaena Indivisa (Dragon Palm). A handsome palm-like tree used for planting along avenues. The leaves are borne in a head at the top of a branchless stem, eight to fifteen feet high. Oz. 30c; lb. \$3.00.
- Pepper Tree (Schinus Molle). Well known handsome shade trees, with feathery leaves and red berries. Oz. 15c; 1b. \$1.50.
- Pinus Insignis (Monterey Pine). A very ornamental tree for parks and lawns; grows from 60 to 70 feet high; of rapid growth; has beautiful green foliage. Oz. 25c; 1b. \$2.50.
- Jefreyi. A magnificent tree, usually found at an elevation of 5000 feet; very hardy. Oz. 35c; lb. \$3.50.

 Lambertiana (Sugar Pine). A hardy tree of gigantic dimensions; found on both slopes of the Sierras. The finest pine timber tree. Oz. 30c; lb. \$3.00.
- Ponderosa (Yellow Pine). One of the largest pine trees known. Found in Coast Range on the highest points. Very hardy. The most valuable timber variety. Oz. 30c; 1b. \$3.00.
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- Sequoia Gigantea (Wellingtonia Gigantea). The mammoth tree of California. This is the largest tree known to exist on the American continent. Pkt. 25c; oz. 70c; 1b. \$7.00.
- Sempervirens. Usually known as California Redwood. The most valuable timber of the California forests. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- **Wild Cherry.** A native California hedge plant resembling holly; seed is vital only during the winter. Cannot be supplied after April. **Oz. 20c; 1b. \$1.50.**

ACACIA AND EUCALYPTUS TREE SEEDS

EUCALYPTUS IS THE GREAT COMING SOURCE OF TIMBER FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.

Price per Packet, 15 cents, except where noted

- CIA Baileyana. A handsome tree, with glaucous foliage; in great demand for street planting. One of the most beautiful of the Acacias. Oz. 40c; lb. \$4.00.
- Decurrens (The Black Wattle of Australia). In California it has grown over 50 feet in eight years. Oz. In Cali-40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- Lopantha. One of the rankest growing sorts, makes a bush 15 to 20 feet high with spreading leaves. Largely used in Golden Gate Park. Oz. 20c; 1b. \$2.00.
- Melanoxylon. In irrigated glens of deep soil this tree will attain the height of 80 feet with a stem several feet in diameter. Oz. 35c; 1b. \$3.50.
- Mollissima. A fine, erect, rapid-growing tree, with glaucous green, feathery, foliage; flowers yellow, and borne in racemes. Oz. 40c; 1b. \$4.00.
- EUCALYPTUS Amygdalina (Giant Gum Tree). Is one of the best for subduing malarial effluvia in fever regions, although it does not grow with quite the same ease as the Eucalyptus globulus. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; lb. \$7.50.
- Citriodora. The well-known lemon-scented gum; a popular favorite. Pkt. 35c; oz. \$2.00.
- Corynocalyx (Sugar Gum). This variety will stand more frost (22°) than any other Eucalyptus and will also stand more drought. Quick growing timber variety. Oz. 75c; lb. \$7.50.
- Picifolia. Very ornamental for lawn or avenue planting; has beautiful crimson flowers. 50c per packet of ing; has
- **Globulus (Blue Gum).** A very rapid-growing tree, making valuable timber. The common variety—the one most generally planted. **Oz. 40c; lb. \$4.00.**

- eucalyptus Leucoxylon (Ironbark Tree). The culture of this variety is desirable on poor, stony land, where other Eucalypti would be unsatisfactory; flowers are a beautiful cerise pink. Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.00.
 - Marginata (Jarrah of Western Australia). A very excellent timber. Resists teredo, on which account it is largely used for piles. Oz. 75c.
 - Robusta (Swamp Mahogany). Thrives best on low grounds, especially near the sea coast; makes a good tree for street planting. Oz. 50c; 1b. \$5.00. makes a good
 - Rostrata (Red Gum). A rapid-growing tree; stands heat and considerable cold without injury. Imported, oz. 75c; lb. \$7.50. Domestic, oz. 40c; lb. \$4.00.

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 Tereticornis (Gray Gum). A very hardy, quick-growing Eucalyptus; largely used for railroad ties, etc. One of the sorts most often planted for timber; makes a hardwood which is reddish in color and can be stained and used as a substitute for mahogany. There is a great future for this tree in California. Oz. 40c; lb. \$4.50.
 - Viminalis. In poor soil it grows to a moderate height; in rich soil it attains gigantic size. Oz. 50c; 1b. \$5.00.
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 - Cambagei.

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See under the head of Eucalypti-in our nursery department-for varieties we can furnish in plants.



MORSE'S PRIZE STRAIN. This is a mixture of all the giant flowered varieties including both plain color sorts, faced sorts and the new giant ruffled edge and rare varietes. The seed is saved from Germany's most famous pansy gardens from Exhibition Flowers and numbers of gold medals have been won in competition by seed which we use in making Prize Strain Mixture. Grow this seed with care, following directions given on page 66, and you will have the most gorgeous giant pansies imaginable. Our friends tell us these are the finest Pansies they have ever seen. Price per packet (about 500 seeds) 50 cents

Bugnot Mixed. A circular; ruffled, and five-petaled type, with soft, blended colors and tints, veined on the margins and with a dark blotch at the base of each petal. One of the finest varieties. Pkt. 25c.

Cassier's Giant, Mixed. A splendid mixture of various shades and markings. The blossoms are perfectly round and are blotched at the base of 3 to 5 of the petals. Pkt. 25c.

Giant Odier or Prize Blotched, Mixed. A large flowered type, with round blossoms. The petals are all blotched at the base and distinctly margined on the edge. Pkt. 25c.

Orchid or Cattleya Flowered Mixed. A mixture of delicate shades and pleasing light tones of yellows, lavender, red and mauve. Flowers large size, entirely new tones. Ptt. 20c.

MORSE'S NEW AND GIANT PANSIES—Continued

Giant Masterpiece. These new pansies have a most beautiful combination of rich velvety coloring and attractive wavy or ruffled petals. This wavy effect gives a graceful appearance rarely seen in pansies, and while they are really very large, they appear larger on this account. Pkt. 25c. Giant Trimardeau, Mixed. The largest flowering type of pansies, called the French strain. The top petals are larger than the 3 lower ones and are beautifully marked. Pkt. 15c; oz. \$2.00.

Morse's Imperial German Strains Mixed. A superfine mixture of the choicest German varieties in all colors. Pkt. 25c.

Some of the sorts to be found in our Prize Strain Mixture, are offered separately below:

Giant Adonis, light blue with dark blue face.

Giant Auricula-flowered, reddish with darker center surrounded by yellow.

Giant Bridesmaid, pink shaded with dark face.

Giant Emperor William, fine dark blue.

Giant Faust, large, pure black.

Giant Fire King, yellow with reddish face and orange upper petals.

Giant Hortense Red, old rose color.

Giant Indigo Blue, a deep indigo color with face.

Giant Lord Beaconsfield, three lower petals purple, upper two lavender.

Giant Madam Perret, wine color and white, fine red shades. Giant Pretiosa, violet on carmine crimson ground, with white border.

Ciant Dringe Henry, a dark violet."

Giant Raphael, clear blue on a white ground, lovely blue veins, Odier type.

Giant Solfatara, sulphur yellow or primrose color with a deep blue blotch on each petal, Odier type.

Giant Pure White, fine large size.

Giant White Three Spotted, three large purple spots, Trimardeau type.

Giant White Five Spotted, one of the handsomest of all Pansies, Odier type.

Giant Pure Yellow, the largest size of this color.

Giant Yellow Five Spotted, very large size, black spots, Odier type.

All of the above Morse's Giant Pansies, per packet 20 cents, or 5 packets your selection for 85c.

Collection of the 19 Giant Pansies above, 1 of each sort, for \$2.65.

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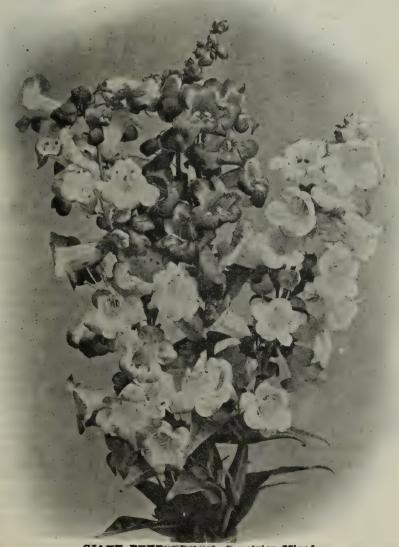
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GIANT PENTETEMON, Excelsior Mixed



NEW DWARF TRITOMA HYBRIDA MIRA-BILIS

The Tritoma is the old fashioned "Red Hot Poker" or "Torch Lilies," only Hybrida Mirabilis is new fashioned and not exactly red hot.

The stems of "Hybrida Mirabilis" are slender, erect, and graceful—very tall or long and averaging about two and one-half feet. The tubular flowerets of the blossoms are brilliant scarlet at the tip of the spike and light yellow at the base, with varying shades of orange and bright yellow and lemon.

Mirabilis is a first class cut flower for vase decorations and the slender stems give it a grace, unknown in the older stocky and heavy varieties. But the greatest novelty feature of 'Hybrida Mirabilis' is its earliness, although a perennial; it blooms quickly—only a few weeks from the sowing of the seed.

Sow the seed in January and the plants should bloom in May and June and will flower during the whole season.

Hybrida Mirabilis is a genuine novelty in blossom, stem and general character. Per packet 25c.



Geum-Mrs. Bradshaw.

BELLIS-GIANT DAISY RANUNCULUS FLOWERED

A new and giant flowered daisy and quite distinct from the little lawn daisies to which it is closely related. The flowers are large and very double, indeed resembling ranunculus or double asters, 2 to 3 inches across, of a pretty red shade. This is a new and distinct flower and makes a good cut flower. Per packet 25c.



Ranunculus-Flowered Daisy.

GEUM, MRS. BRADSHAW

The Geum is a splendid perennial plant but little known in our ordinary gardens and but little appreciated even by those whose home grounds admit of more general planting.

The plants being perennial do not bloom until the second year.

The older Geums produced very pretty but rather small bright scarlet flowers, and while very attractive, do not at all compare with Mrs. Bradshaw.

This is a most striking novelty and is really sensational. As in other Geums, the plant is rather dwarf and spreads quite flat on the ground. The blossoms are borne on long straight, upright and slender stems.

The blossom itself resembles to some extent a single carnation. The petals are arranged about the rim of a semi-double center and in Mrs. Bradshaw they are large, wavy and of thick firm texture.

In color, Mrs. Bradshaw is a rich brilliant scarlet cardinal—a striking and distinct shade. In size, Mrs. Bradshaw is fully double the ordinary Geum and as large as a large carnation, and on account of its very wide, graceful petals, appears to be even larger than it is. **Per pkt. 25c.**

GLADIOLUS

There are a number of very fine sorts of Gladioli which are the result of crossing and selecting done by horticulturists, both in America and Europe. These newer sorts have never been adequately presented to western flower lovers, and are therefore comparatively unknown.

The newer sorts which we offer below, however, are very handsome, and are away ahead of any of the older types. The Childsii and the "hybrids" of Childsii in particular, have very fine flower spikes crowded with bloom; often the

spikes are four feet and over tall, and the blossoms are always large.

The culture of the Gladiolus is of the easiest. Set the bulbs about 3 inches deep and 7 or 8 inches apart each way. Any good garden soil will make strong plants and good bloom, but for the finest results use manure and plenty of water. After the flowers are past, dig the bulbs up and dry them under cover in the open air for a month and then store in dry soil till next winter, when they may be reset. From January to April are the months in which to plant Gladioli, but for a succession of flowers they may be started to the middle of June.

It may be that the comparative high prices of these fine new sorts have kept them from being offered here before, but we believe that when the planter realizes that they are worth the price, and comes to know what grand flowers

they are, our stock will soon go, with the result that many gardens will be made beautiful.

Gladioli do well in San Francisco, standing against the cold Summer winds, and blossoming most freely for weeks. (If wanted by mail, add 8c per dozen for postage.)

GIANT CHILDSII GLADIOLI

This class is very tall and erect, often four or five feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet long. The flowers are of great substance and of gigantic size, frequently seven to nine inches across, and with a great variety of colors.

Aileen. The finest of all white varieties. Unsurpassed for size, substance and purity. This is a grand variety and

quite rare. Flowers are large, well expanded, and pure white with very faint markings. Each 30c; doz.

\$3.00.

America. A very popular sort and most deservedly so. The flowers are a soft lavender pink, or a light flesh pink, with a lavender tint; the blossoms all face one way and are very large. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Attraction. A deep, rich, dark crimson, with conspicuous pure white center and throat. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Brilliant. Beautiful orange red with carmine and white throat. A very fine scarlet. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Columbia. Light orange-scarlet, freely blotched and penciled with bluishpurple, especially at throat. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Deborah. Dark red, tinged with amaranth. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Dr. Sellew. Large spike of rich rosy crimson, slightly penciled darker; center of petals and throat rayed white. Each 15c; doz. \$1.50.

Henry Gillman. Deep salmon scarlet, with pure white bands through each petal. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Nezinscott. Blood-scarlet with velvety crimson black blotched and white mottlings in throat. 20c; doz. \$1.75.

Oddity. Deep amaranth red, throat mottled white, and red. Each 15c; doz. \$1.25.

Rose Spray. A large and extra fine white beautifully sprayed with rose tint. Each 20c; doz. \$2.00.

Sunlight. Light crimson with canaryyellow throat. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Wm. Falconer. Spike of great length and spike of enormous flowers. Beautiful clear light pink. Each 15c; doz. \$1.50.

Collection of 1 of each of 13 above sorts for \$1.55; postpaid, \$1.70.

GANDAVENSIS AND HYBRID GLADIOLI

The following are the newer varieties and are the best sorts.

Augusta. Lovely pure white, with blue anthers. Strong straight spike. Each 7c; doz. 75c.

Blue Jay (Baron Hulot). The finest blue gladiolus yet produced. Blue Jay is a rich deep indigo color. Each 20c; doz. \$2.00.

Canary Bird. Fine light yellow, with a strong spike. Each 15c; doz. \$1.50.

Klondyke. Clear primrose yellow, with a blotch of vivid crimson maroon on the lower petals. Strong plants. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

May. A lovely pure white flower, finely flaked with bright rosy crimson. Superb spike and often forced. Each 7c; doz. 75c.

Ceres. Pure white, spotted with purplish rose. Each 7c; doz. 75c.

Mrs. Francis King. A lovely light scarlet; the flowers are unusually well arranged. A variety much used for commercial planting on account of its pleasing color. Each 15c; doz. \$1.50.

Octoroon. A beautiful salmon pink; distinet shade. Each 10c; doz. \$1.00.

Princeps. A large wide-open, very handsome flower like an amaryllis. A rich crimson with broad white blotches across the lower petal. Each 20c; doz. \$2.00.

Sulphur King. Beautiful clear sulphuryellow, the finest yellow ever introduced. Each 30c; doz. \$3.00.

Gladiolus—"Brilliant" Collection 1 of each of above 10 varietics for \$1.15; postpaid \$1.30.

MIXED GLADIOLI

These have the various types and colors separated and while not so fine as our named sorts offered above, still they have a great variety from seedlings.

Extra White and Very Light Shades Mixed. Doz. 75c; per 100, \$5.00.

Pink and Rose Shades Mixed. Doz. 50c; per 100, \$3.50.

MIXED GLADIOLI—Continued

Brilliant Scarlet and Red Shades Mixed. Doz. 50c; per 100, \$3.50.

Orange and Yellow Shades Mxd. Doz. \$1.00; per 100, \$6.50. Striped and Variegated. Doz. 60c; per 100, \$4.00.

Lemoines Extra Fine Mixed. One of the best strains with bright colors and odd markings. Doz. 50c; per 100, \$3.00.

Groff's Hybrid Seedlings. Apt to contain some great novelty. Doz. 50c; per 100, \$3.00.

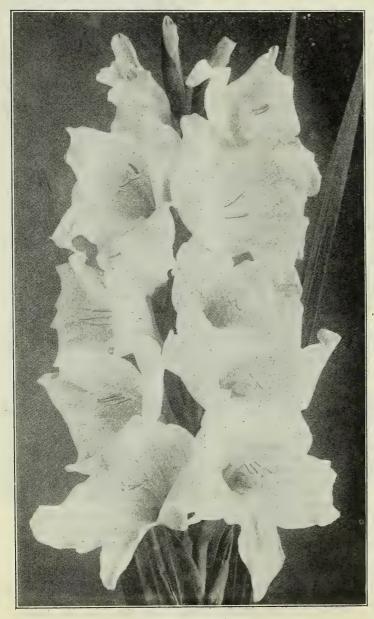
Childsii Type Mixed. Large flowers, soft and wavy on the edges. Doz. 60c; per 100, \$4.00.

Childsii Lighter Shades. A lighter and better mixture. Doz. 75c; per 100, \$5.00.

BEGONIAS (Tuberous-Rooted)

For **January and February** delivery. Splendid pot plants and equally useful for bedding purposes; very free flowering, doing best with partial shade. (Prices include postage.) We offer Begonias in the following separate colors:

Dark Rose, light pink, salmon, scarlet, white and yellow. Double: all colors separate or mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz. Single: all colors separate or mixed. 10c each; \$1.00 per doz. Begonia Crispa: a new sort with very large single flowers beautifully frilled on edge and crested. Try some of these new ones. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz



America Gladiolus

ILIES

Plant six inches deep in a well-drained soil, preferably in a cool spot. For other varieties consult our Fall Catalogue of Bulbs, issued in October.

The bulbs are ready for delivery in December, January, and February, but not later. If wanted by mail, add 3c each, 25c per dozen, for postage.

AURATUM. The grandest of all hardy Lilies, with large, graceful flowers of a delicate ivory-white color, thickly studded with chocolate crimson spots, and a bright golden band through the center of each petal. The largest Lily there is, ten inches across, and very fragrant. Each 15c; and 20c; doz. \$1.25-\$2.00, according to size of bulb.

Easter Lily, or Longiflorum. While if planted as late as January these will not be in bloom for Easter day, still they will bloom in the middle of Summer out of doors, and are most attractive in a garden. Watch for plant-lice on the unexpanded buds and treat with tobacco solution or tobacco dust (consult our list of insecticides at end of book). 15c and 20c each; \$1.50 and \$2.00 per dozen, according to size.

ciosum Album. Beautiful pure white flowers of large size; petals recurve. Very easily grown and very handsome. 20c each; \$1.75 per dozen. Speciosum Album.

Speciosum Rubrum. This is the tall, light red Lily, often seen in florists' windows. It is perfectly hardy in the open garden and is a strong and vigorous grower. Plant in well-drained soil in a partially shaded place. The Lily blooms in July and August, having a spike three to four feet tall with bright lilies of a light crimson and white color; the petals recurve. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.50 per 100.

Speciosum Rubrum Magnificum. This variety is much more crimson in color than the ordinary Rubrum and is heavily spotted. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen;

\$9.00 per 100.

Tigrinum (Tiger Lily). Fine showy blossoms, brilliant orange-red, spotted with black; three to five feet high, and blooms in August. The Tiger Lily is one of the best for out of doors, for it is perfectly hardy and will last for years in the garden, each year sending up its black and orange flower spike. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen.

TUBEROSES

For early flowers they can be started in February or March in the greenhouse or hot bed; and for a succession they can be planted at intervals as late as August. For flowering in the open border plant about the middle of May.

Excelsior Double Pearl. Extra large bulbs. 3 for 15c; doz. 40c; 100, \$3.00. If wanted by mail, add 12c per

THE YELLOW CALLA LILY (CALLA ELLIOTTIANA)

(CALLA ELLIOTTIANA)

Is the only true yellow flowered calla in existence and on account of its marvelous beauty has created a sensation wherever exhibited. It is a summer flowering variety, with the same habit of growth as the well-known common White Calla, with flowers of the same size and shape, but of a clear, rich, golden yellow. The foliage is dark green, with a number of white spots, which greatly add to the beauty of the plant—so much so that when not in flower the plant at once arrests the attention and is ever an object of enthusiastic admiration. (Postage additional 15c doz.) Crop short; 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

BULBS

Besides the above we have usually in stock during December and January bulbs of Caladiums (\$1.00 doz.); Cyclamen (\$2.00 doz.); Scarlet Freesias (25c doz.); Gloxinias (\$1.50 doz.); Lily of Valley (75c per 25); Montbretia (25c per doz.); and Spireas (25c, 35c and 50c each).

OUR FALL CATALOGUE OF BULBS, issued each October fully describes and lists these and many other bulbs. Ask to have this catalogue sent to you in the

FLOWER SEEDS

California and the Pacific Coast (except in mountainous parts) is favored with a climate that is never severe, and which has an abundance of bright, warm sunshine. Of the effect of this climate on our gardens we seldom think, unless when showing some Eastern visitors about, and hearing their wonder expressed at the roses, and the heliotrope, and all of the other bright flowers of our California house gardens.

With a little care one may easily make a selection of plants, seeds and bulbs that will make it possible to always have plants in bloom, no matter what season of the year it may be. If you will think a moment you will recall that certain plants, Larkspurs, for instance, are usually in bloom during a certain month; and that others, Lobelia, Pansies or Phlox, are in flower continuously for several months. One good way to increase one's knowledge of flowers is to put in a note-book the names and times of flowering of the different plants which one sees in a friend's garden, or which one sees on a Sunday's walk. Such a list consulted in the fall will greatly help in deciding which seed to sow. Any flowers we will gladly identify if we are able.

SELECTION. A perfect garden could not be made from seed alone; the grounds must have some shrubbery for its permanent character. We have a **Nursery Department** which supplies every need for private grounds of all dimensions; see our list of trees and shrubs in the succeeding pages of this Guide. On the other hand, no garden would be pretty or satisfactory which did not have a good number of flowers from our flower seed list most carefully chosen and placed in the garden.

There are no more satisfactory flowers than those grown from seed, especially the easily grown and brilliant flowered annuals. The beautiful shrubs and lilies, of course, have their place, but are far more expensive than a paper of seed which will furnish a large number of plants with usually enough for one's garden and some to spare.

Aim to have your garden one artistic unit, with some flowers in bloom at all seasons, with colors which harmonize, and with plants in size grading from the dwarf borders, to the bedding annuals, and then to the taller plants which usually should stand next to the house or other confines of the garden or lawn. A garden carefully thought out and planned gives very much more pleasure than a haphazard one.

To help in finding the most suitable plants we have classified all of the flowers of which we offer seed into different lists. We hope these lists will be helpful to you and full of suggestions. These tables on the page preceding are well worth consulting.

WHEN TO PLANT FLOWER SEED. There is doubt with many as to the best time to plant the different flower seed. It is to be regretted that there is no adequate book for the Pacific Coast dealing with this subject. One Eastern book will be found very useful, with its explicit directions, namely "The Practical Garden Book," by Prof. L. H. Bailey, which we will mail postpaid for \$1.10. There is a Pacific Coast book recently published which deals more with landscape work and shrubs, and which is very good as far as it goes, namely "Gardening in Alifornia; Landscape and Flower," (\$3.75), by Mr. John McLaren, for many years superintendent of Golden Gate Park in San Francisco.

Perhaps you have noticed that many of the descriptions of flowers contain the words "annual," "hardy annual," "tender annual," "tender perennial," etc. These may have seemed to you tiresome descriptions, but properly understood they tell much about planting. The dates in the following brackets will vary with the time that heavy frosts come in different places. While they show the best months for San Francisco, planting may be extended much later in all cases.

TENDER, or Greenhouse, means the plant will not stand the least frost. All such must be planted late in Spring (May) or in a greenhouse.

HALF HARDY means the plant will stand any light frost, but needs protection against very cold weather. These should be planted in the spring (March and April), not in the Fall.

HARDY means the plant will stand considerable frost, or practically all we have on the Pacific Coast. These may be planted in the fall or in the spring (October to May). If sown in the fall they will come into bloom earlier than if sown in spring, even if the plants do not make much progress during the cold weather.

ANNUALS are plants that bloom the first year from seed, and the plant dies after one season. Tender annuals must be sown in spring (April to June) and hardy annuals may be sown in either spring or fall (October to May).

BIENNIALS are plants that bloom the second year from seed, and the plant dies after the second year. In California many of these will bloom the first year if sown early. Sow under same conditions as perennials.

PERENNIALS are plants that bloom the second year from seed, and the plant lives and blooms during successive years. If sown in early spring (February to April 15) many perennials will bloom the first year from seed. Tender and half-hardy perennials are best sown in spring after frost is over (April 15 to June). Hardy perennials are best sown in the late summer and early fall (July to October) for next year's flowers.

HOW TO SOW PLOWER SEED. It is best in practically all instances except hardy annuals to start the seed in boxes, preferably a box about 18x24 inches and 4 inches deep, using very sandy soil with leaf mould that will not bake, and provide for drainage by boring some holes in the bottom of the box. It is best not to put any fertilizer in the seed-box, since it is only necessary to bring the plants to the third or fourth leaf, when they should be pricked out and reset in another box, in which the soil should be loam mixed with leaf-mould. It is important that the plant be of good size, strong and sturdy, when finally transplanted in the garden.

If the seed be sown directly in the garden, it should be sown in the spring after the soil is well worked and fertilized. A slight depression should be made with a stick, the seed sown, and then covered with sharp sand about twice the depth of the diameter of the seed. The sand will prevent the crusting over of the soil after watering.

When up, the plants must be thinned from two to twelve inches, depending on the variety, oth rwise they will be weak and spindling. It is a common mistake in the garden to leave plants altogether too thick. Always keep the weeds out.

A common mistake in sowing flower, as well as other seeds, is covering too deep. As a general rule, cover only to the depth of the thickness of the seeds; or, with medium-sized seeds, like Balsams, Zinnias, etc., half an inch or less is the proper depth. Such fine seeds as Portulacas, Nicotiana, etc., need only to be pressed into the soil with a piece of board or the palm of the hand. Always press the earth down firmly after sowing all flower seeds, else there is danger of their drying up before the roots can get firm hold of the soil. Seeds of the hardier annuals may be sown where they are to grow; but, as a rule; it is preferable to transplant, as the plants are generally stronger and stand the drought better. During very dry weather, and when the seedlings are first set out, they should be watered frequently. Provide some support for all such annuals as require it.

The weeds should be kept down and the ground loosened often, so that the plants will receive the full benefit of the rains and dews, which they will not if the ground is allowed to become hard and baked.

On account of the long dry summers in California, it is necessary to apply water very often. Most of our gardens suffer for want of sufficient water. Where possible, it should be applied to the roots only, and after four o'clock in the afternoon.

With a little study of the garden and the colors and habits of the flowers, a beautiful garden can be had from the use of Merse's Flower Seeds at very little cost.



RONIA (Sand Verbena). A hardy annual, trailing in habit, about nine inches high, bearing verbena-like clusters of flowers, which are very fragrant. A native of California. Thrives in dry situations, and is valuable for rock-work or hanging baskets.

Umbellata. Rosy lilac. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c. ABRONIA (Sand Verbena).

Umbellata. Rosy lilac. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

ABUTILON (Flowering Maple, or Chinese Bell-Flower). A half-hardy perennial shrub, used generally in greenhouses, but growing into small trees in California. The flowers are beautifully bell-shaped, and appear in white, yellow, rose and orange. Mixed colors, pkt. 10c.

ACHILLEA Ftarmica, Double, "The Pearl." (Sneezewort). One of the best hardy perennials; bears a profusion of small, double, white flowers during the entire season. Fine for cutting and cemetery decoration. Height 2½ feet. Pkt. 15c.

ACROCLINIUM. Very pretty annual, producing white and rose-colored daisy-like flowers in August and September. These are the "Immortelles," so desirable for wreaths and Winter bouquets. One foot. Double mixed, pkt. 5c. Single mixed, pkt. 5c.

ADLUMIA CIRRHOSA (Mountain Fringe, or Allegheny Vine). An attractive and beautiful hardy climber, biennial, flowering the first season; clusters of small, rosylilac flowers and pale green feathery foliage. Grows fifteen feet tall. Pkt. 10c.

ADONIS (Flos Adonis, or Pheasant's Eye). A hardy annual of easy culture, growing about one foot high. Leaves fine-cut and feathery; flowers crimson. Seed should be sown in the Autumn. Pkt. 5c.

AGERATUM (Floss Flower). A hardy annual of easy culture, especially valuable for bedding, as it is literally covered with blossoms all summer. Sow the seed early in the spring, either in boxes to transplant, or out of doors, and thin to four or six inches.

Blue Perfection. Deep blue, one foot high. Pkt. 5c.

Mexicanum, Imperial Dwarf Blue. Eight inches high. flowers blue. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c.

Mexicanum, Imperial Dwarf White. Ei flowers white. Pkt. 5c; ½ oz. 30c. Eight inches high,

Little Dorrit. A perfect mass of blue flowers; plant is six inches high and a foot through. Pkt. 10c.

"Little Blue Star." A very dwarf variety, densely covered with small, light-blue flowers, which are purplish-red at center. Pkt. 15c.

ARISTOLOCHIA SIPHO (Dutchman's Pipe). Strong-growing, hardy climber, with large, thick, shining foliage, and curious, yellowish-brown, pipe-shaped flowers. Pkt. 10c.

ALYSSUM (Maritimum). A fragrant, hardy annual, having the odor of honey, and bearing spikes of small, white flowers in great profusion throughout the summer and autumn. Useful for borders or early bedding flowers. Sow the seed early in spring.

Common Sweet Alyssum. One foot high, very sweet honey fragrance. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c. "Carpet of Snow." Pure white, very dwarf, and sweet

scented. Pkt. 5c.
Little Gem. Three to four inches high; fine for borders. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c

Saxatile A yellowish sort; perennial. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

AGROSTEMA (Rose of Heaven). A hardy perennial, blooming the first season if the seed is sown in the Autumn. Plant grows one to two feet high; flowers resemble Dianthus in bright colors, and are borne on long, slender stems. Mixed colors, pkt. 5c.

AMARANTHUS. Hardy annuals, grown especially for their brilliant foliage.

Caudatus (Love Lies Bleeding). Light yellowish-green foliage; long, drooping crimson flower spikes. Plant three to four feet high. Pkt. 5c.

Cruentus. Tall spikes of red flowers. Three feet. Pkt.

Tricolor (Joseph's Coat). Plant three feet high, with brilliant leaves in variegated, red, yellow, green, etc. Pkt. 5c.

Ampelopsis. Quinquefolia. See Virginia Creeper.

Ampelopsis Veitchi. See Boston Ivy.

Angel's Trumpet. See Datura.

Antirrhinum. See Snapdragon.

Aquilegia. See Columbine.

ANEMONE, Single Giant de Caen. The giant French Anemone. Half-hardy perennial. Excellent for cutting. Cup-shaped flowers in blue, red, and white. May and June. Nine inches. Pkt. 5c; ¼ oz. 50c.

St. Brigid (Irish Anemone). Enormous blooms the size of tulips, with great variety of striking colors. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. \$1.

ARCTOTIS GRANDIS (The African Lilac Daisy). A remarkably handsome annual from Africa, forming branched bushes two to two and a half feet in height and breadth; are pure white on the upper surface, reverse of petals pale lilac. Pkt. 10c.

ASTERS

A popular half-hardy annual produced in a great variety of classes and an almost endless number of colors. The tallest varieties grow about two feet high, and some varieties of dwarfs are not over three inches high. The best method of culture is to sow the seed in boxes about January 1st. and transplant about April 1st to 15th. The seed can be sown, however, in the row where the plants are to remain thinning them from six to twelve inches apart, according to variety.

BOLTZE'S DWARF BOUQUET. An exceedingly dwarf variety growing only three or four inches high, and containing a great variety of colors. Pkt. 15c.

HOHENZOLLERN. A new variety of the Comet type, with blossoms fully twice as large as the old variety. The petals are very long and curved like a flat chrysanthe-

COCARDEAU, OR CROWN. A tall variety, growing 14 to 16 inches high. Of upright habit, with medium-sized blossoms. The center of the blossom is usually white with a bright-colored outer rim. Mixed, pkt. 10c.

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COMET. A good bedding variety, with large blossoms, the petals of which are long, narrow, and curled backward. These colors are the best. Any Color. Pkt. 10c.

Pink Pure Lilac White

Pure Lilac Carmine Light Blue Carmine
Mixture of all, pkt. 10c. Collection five varieties, 40c.

GIANT COMET. A taller growing variety of the Comet type, with branching stems, which make it valuable for cutting. Best colors:

Crimson

Dark Violet

Light Blue

Rose

White

The Bride (white changing to light rose).

Any of above, pkt. 10c. Collection six varieties, 50c.

Mixture of all colors, pkt. 10c.

HOHENZOLLERN. A new variety of the Comet type, with blossoms fully twice as large as the old variety. The petals are very long and curved like a flat chrysanthemum. Plant of branching habit, about sixteen inches high. Mixture, pkt. 15c.

TRUFFAUT'S PAEONY FLOWERED PERFECTION. This variety has the most brillant and showy assortment of Flowers, medium sized and almost globular. Plant about sixteen inches high, of upright growth, and flowers all borne on top. Best colors:

Dark Purple Fiery Scarlet Pkt. 10c. Mixture of all colors, pkt. 10c.

VICTORIA. One of the best bedding varieties, with medium-sized blossoms, which are borne in great profusion from the bottom to the top of the plant. Grows 12 to 14 inches high. Best colors: Rose, pkt. 10c; Snow White, pkt. 10c.

Mixture of all colors, pkt. 10c; oz. \$2.50.

ASTERS—Continued

semples, or Giant Branching. The tallest and best florist's variety, and we heartily recommend it as the very best type of Aster we have. The plant grows 18 inches high and about 18 inches in width, and the blossoms, which are large and full-petaled, are borne on long stems or branches. The most satisfactory type of all Asters, since it is not only a showy bedding flower, but owing to its long stems and large blossoms, is valuable for bouquets. Comes into flower late in the Autumn. Best colors, pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.50:

White Violet King Carmine Lavender Crimson Pink or Rose

Light Blue Purple

Mary Semple (very light pink)

Collection nine varieties, 70c. Mixture of above colors, pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.25.

ASTER, New England Perennial (Michaelmas Daisies). In splendid assortment; four to five feet. Very handsome, hardy wild flowers of New England; Fall blooming. Blue, lilac and pinkish. Mixed, pkt. 15c.

ARMERIA MARITIMA (Thrift, Sea Pink).
Pretty edging plant, bearing tufts of rosypink flowers; hardy perennial. One foot.
Pkt. 10c.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS. A tender perennial for greenhouse or potted plant use, with long, fine feathery foliage. The sprays, when cut, retain their freshness in water from three to four weeks. Seeds start slowly and should be soaked in water before sowing. Pkt. 10c; 100 seeds 75c. Plumosus Nanus. A dwarf variety and Plumosus Nanus. A dwarf variety and sometimes preferred on account of its beautiful, dense sprays of feathery green.

Pkt. 10c; 100 seeds 75c.

Sprengeri (Emerald Feather). An early, easily grown, feathery-leaved variety, with drooping branches. The variety for hanging baskets. Pkt. 10c; 100 seeds 50c.

ASPERULA ODORATA (Sweet Woodruff). An old-fashioned favorite, grown for its fragrant leaves and stems, which, when dried, have an odor not unlike new-mown hay, and are used for putting among clothes, etc. Used in Germany to flavor the "Maitrank," or May wine. Best grown in semishaded positions. Flowers white; perennial. Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 25c.

AUBICULA (Primula auricula). A dwarf-growing plant, bearing umbels of fragrant flowers of many rich and beautiful colors. A great favorite in England, where flower shows are held of this plant alone. Extra choice mixed from a prize collection. Pkt.

AUSTRALIAN PEA VINE (Dolichos Lignosus). A rapid-growing evergreen climbing perennial, flowering freely in large clusters of rose flowers. For covering arbors, trellises, etc., they have no super-Pkt. 10c.

Bachelor's Button. See Centaurea Cyanus.

LOON VINE, OR LOVE-IN-A-PUFF. Climbing annual, with small inferior flow-BALLOON VINE, ers. The seed pods are curiously swelled or puffed, and are quite attractive. **Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.**

BALSAM OR LADY'S SLIPPER. A tender annual, with brittle stems and foliage. Grows about 12 inches high. Flowers both single and double, in bright colors and variations; are wax-like and very attractive. The individual blossoms floating in a dish of water exhibit their beauty to the best advantage.

Camellia Flowered. Mixed; the largest double variety. Pkt. 5c; ½ oz. 50c.
Camellia Flowered. White. Pkt. 10c.

DOUBLE VARIETIES, AS BELOW, ALL. Pkt. 10c.
Lavender Dark Blood Red Red and White Spotted
Peach Blossom (Shell Pink). Snowball
Collection of 6 varieties, 40c.
Mixed Tall Doubles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c.
Dwarf Double. Pkt. 5c.

BARTONIA AUREA (Golden Bartonia). A hardy annual, growing about two feet high and bearing golden-yellow flowers, which have a metallic luster when the sun shines on them. Is a native of California. Sow the seed where the plants are to remain, since it does not transplant easily. Pkt. 5c.

transplant easily. Prt. 5c.

BEGONIA. Tender perennial usually grown in the greenhouse. Some varieties are especially attractive on account of their foliage, but most varieties have exquisitely beautiful wax-like flowers, both single and double. The seed is very small and rather difficult to germinate. It is also very expensive, some strains being worth far more than their weight in gold.

QUEEN OF THE MARKET. One of the earliest blooming varieties, blossoming frequently in July. Of spreading habit, 8 to 10 inches high. Blossoms medium sized, and the petals curve outward.

Mixed, pkt. 10c. Pure white, pkt. 10c.

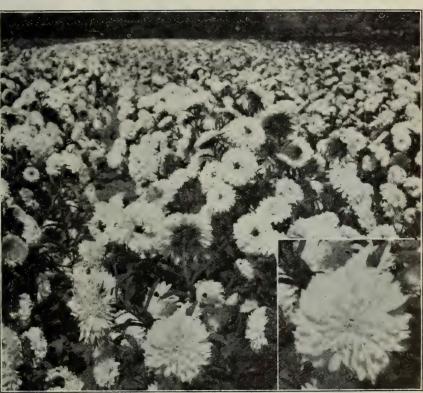
OSTRICH PLUME. A medium tall variety of the Comet type. The petals are long, narrow and curly, and the effect of both individual blossoms and bunches is beautiful. Mixture of all colors, pkt. 10c.

modern introductions. The Hercules type of Aster is one of the most beautiful, having long, curly petals, which droop and twist gracefully from the center, and HERCULES ASTER. are so dense and full as to resemble one of the finest chrysanthemums; five to six inches across. It needs, however, fine, rich soil to bring out its greatest beauty.

Rosy Lilac, pkt. 25c.

White, pkt. 25c.

BEAN, Scarlet Runner. A popular climber; the seed is edible and much esteemed. Flowers scarlet; beans black and lake splashed. Pkt. 10c.



ASTER, Semple's or Giant Branching

BEGONIA. Fibrous rooted Varieties. For outdoor culture having beautiful leaves and bearing clusters of small, waxy flowers.

a. A beautifully marked, large-leaved variety, for indoors. **Pkt. 25c.**

Vernon. Deep-red flowers and dark-purple foliage often used for borders and for bedding; half hardy. Pkt. 10c.

Tuberous-Rooted Varieties. For greenhouse and pot culture, having large, waxy flowers in brilliant colors. Many prefer to start bulbs in December and January.

Double Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

International Prize. The finest large flowered single
 mixture. Pkt. 35c.

Single Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

BELLIS PERENNIS (Double Daisy). A hardy perennial, blossoming freely all spring and summer. Plant is about four inches high and is valuable for borders. Is much sown in lawns.

Extra Double White, or Snowball. A clear white variety. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c.

Longfellow. Double dark rose. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c.

Extra Double. Mixed. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 65c.

BIGNONIA (Trumpeta Vine). Magnificent, hardy perennial climber, with brilliant scarlet or yellow flowers; a most ornamental and effective covering for walls, houses, etc. 30 feet. Pkt. 10c.

Border Pinks. See Dianthus Plumarius.

BOSTON IVY OR JAPANESE IVY (Ampelopsis Veitchi). The popular Ivy which covers so many buildings. It clings to brick and wood without support. The leaves are heart shaped and are off the vine for only two months in the winter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c.

BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy). A hardy annual, growing from 6 to 10 inches high and producing an abundance of pretty blue and white flowers. **Pkt. 5c.**

BROWALLIA. A half hardy annual, making a fine bedding plant. Blooms profusely. The flowers are bright ultramarine blue, and also sky blue with white center. Will bloom freely all Winter if seed is sown in August. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

CACALIA (Tassel Flower). A beautiful and profuse flowering plant, with tassel-shaped orange and scarlet flowers; fine for mixed borders; hardy annual. Pkt. 5c.

CALAMPELIS (Bugle Vine). A well known beautiful annual climber; trained to a trellis or south wall, it is an ornamental object throughout the Summer, its bright orange tubular flowers contrasting effectively with the delicate green of the foliage. Pkt. 10c.

CALANDRINIA Umbellata. Portulaca-like plants, fond of sunshine, well suited for rock-work. Vivid crimson violet. Height one-quarter foot; perennial. Pkt. 10c.

CALCEOLARIA. A tender perennial, used largely in greenhouses and conservatories. Is not of easy culture, but a very desirable flower. Bears a large profusion of small, pocket shaped flowers, many of which are beautifully tigered or spotted. There is a great variety of shades and colors in various markings.

Grandiflora. Large-flowered, self-colored, profuse flowers. Pkt. 25c.

Tigered and Spotted. Mixed. Pkt. 25c.



Calceolaria Rugosa

Rugosa Hybrid. A shrubby, profuse bloomer, and best for out door culture. Pkt. 25c.

CALENDULA (Pot Marigold). Very hardy annual, one foot high, blooming freely practically the whole year round. Is of the easiest culture and is desirable for rather inferior soils, where less sturdy flowers do not thrive. A medicinal extract resembling arnica is made from the flowers.

Double Mixed. A good mixture of 8 or 10 different shades of yellow, some clear colors and some shaded and striped. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.

Lemon King. Pkt. 5c.

CALENDULA Meteor. Large double striped with orange. **Pkt. 5c.** yellow flowers Prince of Orange. A fine deep orange. Pkt. 5c.

California Poppy. See Eschscholtzia.

CALLIOPSIS. A half hardy annual, growing about three feet high, and valuable for bright bedding effects, or for cutting. Leaves are narrow and stems slender. Blossoms single and about 2 to 4 inches in diameter.

Atrosanguinea. Velvety dark maroon. Pkt. 5c.
Golden Wave. The largest-flowering variety. Clear yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c.

Drummondi. Mixed. A gorgeous mixture of golden yellow, brown, maroon, and other shades. Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c.

oz. 60c.

Bicolor Hybrida Semiplena. Semi-double flowers of garnet and yellow. The old-fashioned small Coreopsis. Pkt. 5c.

Lanceolata. See Coreopsis.

CANARY BIRD FLOWER (Tropaeolum Canariense). A tender, climbing annual of the Nasturtium family. Blossoms have curiously winged petals and are light yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c.

INA. Mixture of the popular varieties. Red and yellow flowers. Plants have large ornamental leaves. Pkt.

Crozy's Varieties. Mixed. New large-flowered and free-blooming sorts. Pkt. 10c.

CANDYTUFT (Iberis). A hardy annual, growing about 6 to 18 inches high, according to the variety. The blossoms are borne on variously long spikes, and the newer varieties are quite large flowering and very fragrant. Of easy culture and valuable for bedding or massing.

Common Sweet Scented. Small white flowers. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c. Carmine, branching, pkt. 5c. Purple, branching, pkt. 5c.

Dwarf or Tom Thumb. White. Plant very dwarf. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c.

Dwarf, or Tom Thumb. Hybrids. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c.

White Booket Lorg spilos and large for the colors.

Long spikes and large flowers. .Pkt. White Rocket. 5c; oz. 25c.

Giant Hyacinth Flowered, or Improved Empress. Very large heads and long spikes of white flowers. An improved strain of Giant Empress and the best sort for cut flowers. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; oz. 75c.

Mixture of all colors. Pkt. 5c. Gibraltarica, Perennial Lilac. Shading to white. Pkt. 10c. Sempervirens, Perennial White. Pkt. 10c.

CANTERBURY BELLS (Campanula Medium) A hardy biennial, blooming the second year from seed, or the first year, if sown early. Of easy culture, but preferring rich, moist soil. Grows about three feet high, and bears double and single varieties of blue, white, purple and red flowers. Single Mixed, pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; Single White, pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; Single Pink, pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; Single Blue, pkt. 5c; oz. 40c. Double Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Carpatica (Carpathian Harebell), A dwarf perennial; 9 inches; for rockeries, edges and beds. Blue and white. Mixed. Pkt. 5c

CUP AND SAUCER TYPE. In this variety the outer petal forms a brim like a saucer.

Pink. Pkt. 10c. Light Blue. Pkt. 10c.

Pure White. Pkt. 10c. Mixed. Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c. Persicifolia. Peach-bell. Perennial; 4 feet; large flowered. Mixed, pkt. 10c; Blue, pkt. 10c.

White, pkt. 10c. Pyramidalis. Chimney Bellflower. Large flowers on tall (6 foot) spikes; blooms late; perennial. Blue, pkt. 10c; White, pkt. 10c.

CASTOR OIL BEAN (Ricinus). A half-hardy annual growing from 6 to 15 feet high and bearing large, green, deep purple and brown leaves and bright orange and scarlet flowers. The seed pods resemble a prickly fruit. Of the easiest culture. Individual plants, with plenty of room look best.

Gibson's dark red. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.

Sanguineus. Tricolor. Has blood-red stocks and green leaves, with red veins. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.

Zanzibarensis. Mixed. A large-leaved variety, deep green and bronze, growing 10 to 15 feet high. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.

Mixture of all projections.

Mixture of all varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c.

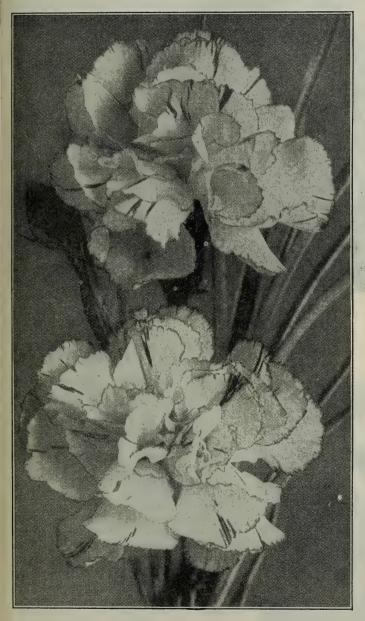
CENTRANTHUS. The flowers are small pink, salmon color or white, borne in clusters on light-green, almost, transparent stems. Easy to raise from seed in open ground. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

CARNATION

A half hardy perennial, used generally for greenhouse florists' trade in winter and for a garden favorite in summer. There are a large number of varieties and colors, but the early flowering mixtures are recommended for out-of-door culture. Sow the seed early in the year and transplant in March or April.

Chabaud's Everblooming. Earliest dwarf French type of perpetual, flowering in 5 to 6 months after seed is sown. The flowers are double and very freely borne. In mixed colors. Pkt. 15c.

German Extra Fine Double Mixed. A splendid strain, containing all the various types and colors mixed of the Perpetual or Tree Carnations. Pkt. 15c.



Picotee Carnation.

Picotee. Extra fine double mixed. White, edged with colors, or striped and splashed. Contains many rare sorts never seen at a florists. Pkt. 25c.

Vienna. Double dwarf mixed, double border carnations; early flowering, all colors. Pkt. 10c.

Choice Double Border. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

MARGUERITE. An extra vigorous race, especially adapted for out-of-door culture. The plants are trim in habit, perpetual, and flower abundantly in 5 months from sowing the seed. Margaret Carnations are highly fragrant, and have beautiful double flowers.

- " White Pkt. 10c.
- " Yellow and Yellow Ground. Pkt. 20c.
- " Light Red and Pink. Pkt. 10c.
- " Dark Red. Pkt. 10c.
- " Striped Varieties. Pkt. 10c.
- " Collection. One Pkt. of each of above 5 for 45c.
- " Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

MARGUERITE GIANT, MORSE'S. An improved strain, with flowers frequently 2½ inches to 3 inches across: strong growers, free blooming.

White Perfection. Pkt. 25c. Scarlet. Pkt. 25c. Yellow, pure. Pkt. 25c. Mixed. Pkt. 15c.

CELOSIA CRISTATA, OR COCKSCOMB. A half hardy annual, growing 6 to 8 inches high, bearing a wide, wavy blossom that resembles a cock's comb. In brilliant colors and fine for massing or border work.

Dwarf Mixed. Several shades of red and yellow, mixed. Pkt. $15c_{\rm sg}$

Dwarf New Giant Empress. A rich, crimson variety, with dark foliage and very wide combs. Pkt. 10c.
 Glasgow Prize. One of the best strains. Pkt. 10c.

celosia Plumosis, or Feathered Cockscomb. This species grows two or three feet high, and bears long, feathery plumes in brilliant colors. Mixed, Pkt. 5c.

Magnificent (Thompson's). A new variety, superior to the older sorts, bearing grand spikes; flowers in mid-summer. Mixed. Many colors. Pkt. 10o.

Magnificent Crimson. A bright shade. Pkt. 10c.

Magnificent Golden Yellow. A fine contrast to the crimson, Pkt. 10c.

Spicata. Ostrich plumes of pink, shading to silver at tips.Pkt. 5c.

CENTROSEMA, or Butterfly Pea. A hardy perennial vine of rare beauty, which blossoms in July from seed sown in March, and bears in great profusion pea-shaped flowers ranging in color from a rosy violet to a reddish-purple, with a feathery white marking through the center. Pkt. 10c.

CLARKIA. A hardy annual of easy culture, growing about 18 inches high and bearing bright rose, white, or purple flowers in great profusion. Native of California. Seed sown in the Fall will give early blossoms in the Spring. Seed can be sown almost any time.

Double Mixed, pkt. 5c. Single Mixed, pkt. 5c.

CLEOME PUNGENS, or GIANT SPIDER PLANT. A hardy annual growing 4 to 5 feet high and bearing in profusion rose-purple blossoms that are shaped something like a spider. **Pkt. 5c.**

CLEMATIS. A pepular hardy perennial climber. An old favorite, and justly so, for there are few garden climbers that give more satisfaction.

Large Flowered Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Virginiana (Virgin's Bower). Pkt. 10c.

Paniculata. A very fine hardy climber; leaves bright glossy green; flowers small and hawthorn scented, and just covering the plant when in bloom. Excellent for covering trellises, cemeteries, or fences.

Pkt. 10c.

Flammula. Feathery white. Pkt. 10c.

Coccinea. Scarlet. Pkt. 10c.

Jackmanii. Largest flowered hybrids in various colors.

The blue does not come true from seed. Pkt. 15c.

CENTAUREA

A hardy annual embracing a number of species, some being grown only for their foliage. All varieties grow from 11/2 to 2 feet high. Sow the seed early and transplant in March. Except the white leaved sorts all make excellent cut flowers.

Cyanus (Batchelor's Button, or Bluebottle, or Corn Flower). Of easy culture. Sow the seed where it is to remain and thin to three or four inches.

Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Emperor William (Large Blue). Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c. Pink. Pkt. 5c. White. Pkt. 5c.

Imperialis (Royal Sweet Sultan). The finest of all Sweet Sultans; the plants are very strong and bear giant flowers on stiff, long stems; excellent for cutting and lasting, when cut, unusually well. Mixed, pkt. 10c; ½ oz. well. Mixed, pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c. Pure White, pkt. 10c. Purple Shades, pkt. 10c

Marguerite. A large, white variety of the Imperialis class. Fragrant and pretty. Pkt. 10c.

Moschata, or Sweet Sultan. A well known type. In white, yellow, lavender, and purple. Blossoms very fragrant. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Suaveolens. Yellow Sweet Sultan. Pkt. 10c.

Gymnocarpa. Called Dusty Miller; leaves silvery gray; deeply cleft; 1½ feet; perennial.Pkt. 5c. Candidissima, White Leaved, or

Dusty Miller. Grown for its silvery white foliage; leaves broader and less cleft; 1 foot; perennial. Pkt. 10c.

Montana. Large blue perennial Cornflower; for hardy border. 2 feet. Pkt. 5c.

Catchfly. See Silene.



Centaurea Imperialis

CHRYSANTHEMUM

There are many widely different classes of this flower represented in the hardy annual or garden varieties, both single and double, and the perennial varieties, chief of which is the double or florists' varieties, so highly prized in the autumn and winter.

ANNUAL VARIETIES. Growing 11/2 to 3 feet high. Seeds should be planted early and the plants set out in April. Single varieties some-"Painted Daisies." times called Very attractive. Mixed, pkt. 15c.

Coronarium Double. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

- Beautiful for cut flowers. White. Pkt. 10c.
- Yellow. Flowers early and very freely. Pkt. 10c. color. These are large, single-flowered sorts with color in rings. Tricolor.

"Burridgeanum. Yellow center, crimson maroon band, and white tips.

- Pkt. 5c.
- " Eclipse. Golden yellow with purple ring; very striking. Pkt. 5c.
- " White. Pkt. 5c. " Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Segetum, Morning Star. Large light yellow; single flowers; shading deeper; fine for cutting. Pkt. 10c. Large light



Cinararia-Hybrida Mixed

CHRYSANTHEMUM—Continued

Segetum, Evening Star, (Helios). Pure golden yellow; giant single flower, 3 inches in diameter. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10c.

PERENNIAL VARIETIES. Growing 2½ to 3 feet high. Hardy and of easy culture.

Prutescens, or "Marguerite"; also called "Paris White Daisy." White petals radiating from a golden-yellow center. Pkt. 10c.

Japanese Hybrids. A mixture of the large-flowering, florists' varieties. These mixtures are the large, autumn flowers used in exhibitions and by florists. They are usually grown from cuttings, and do not come true from seed. Pkt. 25c.

CINERARIA. A tender perennial, grown principally in the greenhouse, but can be grown safely in the garden in summer. Seed should be sown in summer, and the greenhouse requires only moderate heat. Plants grow from 1 to 2 feet high and bear clusters of large, single flowers of bright colors. Will do well in a partly shaded location.

Hybrida Mixed. The best variety, having large flowers and brilliant colors. Pkt. 25c.

Grandiflora Dwarf. Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

oz. 40c.

Grandiflora Stella. With twisted petals. Pkt 25c.

Maritima Candidissima. Dusty Miller. Silvery foliage. Hardy border plant. 2½ feet. Pkt. 5c;

Coreopsis-Grandiflora

CLIANTHUS DIAMPIEBI (Glory Pea of Australia). One of the most gorgeous flowers in existence; the flowers are pea-shaped, of a brilliant scarlet color with intense black center; requires a dry, warm soil and little water. Soak seeds in hot water before sowing. Pkt. 15c.

COBAEA SCANDENS. A half hardy climbing annual, with large leaves and large bell-shaped flowers. Blossom is green until nearly grown, when it turns bright-purplish blue. Grows about 30 feet long, and is very desirable for covering a large lattice. A native of Mexico. Pkt. 10c.

COLEUS. A tender perennial, growing about 10 to 18 inches high, and grown for its beautiful, bright-colored velvety leaves. Valuable for window garden or pots, and can also be grown out of doors if taken up in winter.

Extra Large Leaved Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Ornatus. The best large-leaved variety. Pkt. 15c.

Morse's Exhibition. A beautiful and gorgeous strain. Pkt. 25c.

COLLINSIA. A free-flowering and easily grown annual, growing from 1 to 2 feet; flowers white, crimson, purple, etc. A California wildflower. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

COREOPSIS. A perennial with light, graceful foliage and beautiful golden flowers. Blossoms in midsummer and is one of the best yellow cut flowers.

Lanceolata Grandiflora. Pkt. 10c.

COLUMBINE (AQUILEGIA)

A hardy perennial growing about 2 feet high and bearing an immense variety of colors on long, smooth stems.

California Hybrida. Large yellow flowers, orange spurs; an improvement on our native sort. Pkt. 15c.

Chrysantha. Pure golden yellow, single long spurs; 3 feet. Pkt. 10c.

Coerulea (Rocky Mountain Blue Columbine). Fine deep blue and white; long spurs. Pkt. 10c.

Rose Queen. A novelty, pink and white long spurs. Pkt. 15c.

Skinneri (Mexican Columbine). Very handsome and quite distinct; spurs and sepals long, crimson and light green; 3 feet. Pkt. 25c.

Truncata. Our native California wild flower found everywhere in the woods; flowers scarlet and yellow. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.25.

White, Spurred. Pure white with long spurs. Pkt 10c. Collection of the seven fine sorts above for 70c.

Long Spurred Hybrids Mixed. Showy. Pkt. 10c.

Single Mixed (A. Vulgaris). Pkt. 5c.

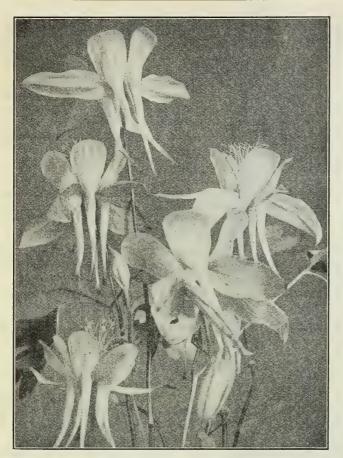
Double Mixed (A. Vulgaris). Pkt. 5c.

Convolvulus. See Morning Glory.

cosmos. A tender annual, with fine-cut, feathery foliage and large, showy blossoms in rose, crimson, pink, and white. The late-flowering or giant type grows 5 to 6 feet high and its blossoms are larger than the early varieties, or about 4 to 5 inches in diameter. They bloom late in the Fall, or about November 1st, and rarely blossom very far North. The early varieties bloom in July. Sow about March 1st and transplant in May.

Early Flowering Dawn. White, slightly tinted with pink. Pkt. 10c; oz. 80c.

Early Flowering Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c.



Long Spurred Columbine

COSMOS-Continued.

Giants of California

Pink. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c. Crimson. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c. White. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c. Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c.

Klondyke. A late blooming variety, with bright yellow blossoms. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

Lady Lennox. A grand new variety which we have grown for a large New York seedman on our own farms. It is without question the finest Cosmos in existence. The plants are rather low growing (about 2½ feet high) and it bears profusely, the whole plant being a mass of bloom when in full flower. The blossoms are a bright rose pink, and the petals are very large and wide, completely overlapping each other. It comes into its full perfection of bloom about October 1 to 15. Pkt. 10c. Pkt. 10c.

Cockscomb. See Celosia Cristata.

CYCLAMEN. A tender, bulbous perennial, used in greenhouses and window-gardens. It is easily grown from seed. Sow in the Fall or early Spring.

Persicum Giganteum, Mixed. Ververy free blooming. Pkt. 25c. Very large flowers and

Album. Pure white. Pkt. 25c.

Rubrum. Red. Pkt. 25c.

Crimson King. A new variety. Pkt. 25c.

Papilio. Butterfly type, fringed edges. Pkt. 25c.

CYPRESS VINE (Ipomoea Quamoclit). A tender, climbing annual, with soft fern-like foliage and small starlike flowers, in red and pink, or white. Scarlet, pkt. 5c; oz. 30c. White, pkt. 5c; oz. 30c. Mixture of several colors, pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

thia. A well-known and popular late summer and autumn flowering plant. Is grown from seed or propagated from the bulbous roots. The seed may be planted early in the hotbed and the plants set out in May after all danger of frost is over. By sowing the seed early the plants may be made to bloom the first year.

Cactus. Mixed, double, with pointed petals. Pkt. 10c DAHLIA.

Double. Mixed, pkt. 10c.
Single. Mixed. The most easily grown and also the most satisfactory from seed. Pkt. 10c.

Daisy, Double. See Bellis Perennis.

DAISY, SHASTA DAISY. A fine perennial plant bearing large white single blossoms, with yellow centers; an excellent cut flower and admired everywhere. Soak seed in warm water over night before sowing. Pkt. 15c Alaska. One of Burbank's new selections. Pkt. 25c.

DATURA (Trumpet Flower, or Horn of Plenty). A tender annual, growing three feet high. Flowers large and trumpet-shaped.

Chlorantha F. Pl. Double golden-yellow blossoms. Pkt. 5c.

Cornucopia. Blossoms single, white inside, shading to purple. Pkt. 5c.

Delphinium. See Larkspur.

Dianthus, Barbatus. See Sweet William.

Dianthus, Caryophyllus. See Carnation.

DIANTHUS, OR PINKS. Hardy annuals, about one foot high, and bearing beautifully colored, single and double blossoms in profusion all Summer. Sow seed early in boxes and transplant, or sow in rows where the plants are to remain, and thin.

Chinensis (China or India Pink).

Double White. Pkt. 5c. Double Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Heddewigi (Japanese Pink). Finest single, mixed. Pkt. 5c. Finest double, mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Diadematis Fl. Pl. (Double Diadem Pink).
double flowers in many colors. Pkt. 5c.

Mourning Pink. Very dark crimson margined pure white. Pkt. 5c.

Laciniatus. Single, fringed varieties.

Mixture of all single varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

Imperialis (Dbl. Imperial Pink). Very large. Pkt. 5c.

Plumarius (Grass Pink, Pheasant Eye or Scotch Pink).

A single hardy perennial pink with fringed edge A single hardy perennial pink with fringed edge light colored flowers, with a darker center, various colored. The old-fashioned garden favorite. Pkt. 5c.

Plumarius Double (Double Clove Pink). A doubleflowered sort, in various colors like the single. The foliage makes a pretty border, while the flowers are delightfully fragrant like cloves. Pkt. 10c.



Dianthus Laciniatus

DIGITALIS, OR FOXGLOVE. A hardy perennial, blooming the second year from seed. Grows usually about 3½ feet, although in very rich soil sometimes 6 feet. The bell-shaped flowers are borne on long spikes, and come in shades of purple, lavender, rose and white, all spotted lightly inside the blossom. Thrives best in cool, shady locations. Fine mixed, pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

DIMORPHOTHECA AURANTIACA (African Golden Daisy). A plant introduced in the last few years which is a great favorite on account of its handsome golden orange flowers with black zone at base of petals, which are borne most profusely. 2½ inches across; plants 12 to 15 inches high, and doing well in dry situations. Hardy annual. Pkt. 10c.

Dimorphotheca Aurantiaca Hybrida. Our grand novelty of last year. Beautiful shade of purest white, reddish and bluish white tints, sulphur, lemon and bright golden-yellow, bright orange, reddish-yellow changing to pale salmon-rose, tender salmon to deep salmony-orange. Some, also, have different colored zones, such as white with a broad sulphur-yellow zone around a black disc, or soft salmon with a deep salmony-red inner circle.

Fine for borders or bedding. Sow seed in the open ground early in the Spring. Per sealed packet, 25c.

DOLICHOS, OR HYACINTH BEAN. Tender, climbing annual. Grows rapidly and is valuable for covering a trellis. Flowers in purple or white; are borne on long stems, the individual blossoms resembling the bean flower, and the ornamental pods resemble bean pods. Sow seed in open ground late in April.

Daylight. The best white. Pkt. 10c.
Darkness. The best purple. Pkt. 10c.
Lablab. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Dusty Miller. See Centaurea and Cineraria.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA

OR CALIFORNIA POPPY

A hardy annual, with fine-cut, feathery foliage and beautiful velvety cup-shaped flowers. Grows from 1 to 11/2



California Poppy-Buchucholtuia California



Dimorphotheca Aurantiaca.

feet high, and blooms profusely. Seed may be sown in the Fall and any time thereafter till April, and blossoms may be had from early in January till late in Summer. Of the easiest culture. Any soil will do, but the better the soil, the larger the plants and blossoms. It is best to sow the seed in the garden, where the plants are to remain, as they do not transplant easily. The beautiful State flower of California.

Californicus. The bright, orange-yellow, common variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; lb. \$2.25.

Burbank's Crimson Flowering. Pkt. 10c. Crocea, Pure deep orange. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Double Rose. A semi-double blossom; rose colored outside and white inside the petal. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.75.

Erecta Mandarin. Brownish gold, erect growing plant. Pkt. 5c.

Golden West. Very large, orange-colored blossoms, shading to canary yellow at the edges. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Mandarin. Blossoms are copper-colored outside and bright yellow inside the petals. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Rose Cardinal. White inside, light pink outside. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c.

Striata. Golden yellow, striped lightly with cream. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

White. Large, ivory white. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.
Mixed Yellows. A mixture of the popular orange and yellow varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

Collection one pkt. each of 10 kinds for 45c.
Mixture of all varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; lb. \$2.25.
Bush Eschscholtzia. See Hunnemannia.



Foxglove, or Digitalis

est-growing vines we know of, attaining a height of 30 feet in a season; white fragrant flowers, borne in great profusion, followed by an abundance of ornamental prickly seed pods; foliage very dense, on which account it is most desirable where much shade is desired. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

EDELWEISS (Leontopodium Alpinum). The true white-leaved famous Edelweiss of the Alps; perennial dwarf; 6 inches. **Pkt. 15c.**

EUPHORBIA. A hardy annual, growing four to six feet high, and esteemed for its beautiful foliage. The blossoms are inconspicuous.

Heterophylla. Called Mexican Fire Plant or Annual Poinsettia. Smooth, glossy leaves, turning scarlet late in the summer. Pkt. 10c.

Variegata. Called Snow on the Mountain. veined and margined with white. Pkt. 10c.

EVERLASTING FLOWERS. See Acroclinium, Gomphrena, Helichrysum, Honesty, Rhodanthe, Statice, Xeranthemum.

Evening Primrose. See Oenothera. Everlasting Pea. See Lathyrus Latifolius.

Flax. See Linum.

TERFEW. Matricaria Capensis. Called Double Fever-few. A plant growing 18 inches high and bearing pro-fusely pure white, very double flowers. **Pkt. 5c.** FEVERFEW. Matricaria Capensis. See also Pyrethrum for edging varieties.

Flowering Maple. See Abutilon. Flowering Sage. See Salvia.

FORGET-ME-NOT (Myosotis). A hardy perennial, growing 6 to 12 inches high. Small star-like flowers are borne in clusters on long stems. The plant is of easy culture and blooms the first year if seed is sown early. Thrives best in a cool, moist location.

Alpestris. Blue. Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c.

Indigo Blue. A new dark indigo color. Pkt. 10c.

Rosea. Pink-flowering; a pretty contrast for the blue and white varieties. Pkt. 5c.

Victoria. Large flowers; bright azure blue, with yellow center; plant symmetrical, dwarf and strong grower. Pkt. 10c.

FORGET-ME-NOT—Continued.

Dissitifiora Perfection. Of dwarf compact habit, flowering profusely; looks like a sheet of blue. One of the best Forget-Me-Nots. Pkt. 15c.

Perennial Semperflorens. True marsh Forget-Me-Not Dwarf, and in flower from early spring till autumn. Pkt. 10c.

Collection of seven kinds, 1 pkt of each, 45c.

FOUR O'CLOCK. A hardy annual, about two feet high. of the easiest culture. Seed should be sown in the open and thinned to one foot. Is free-flowering, the blossoms in great variety of colors and stripes. Mixture of all colors. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

Tom Thumb. Dwarf plant, mixed colors. Pkt. 5c. Variegated and striped leaved. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

FOXGLOVE. See Digitalis.

FUCHSIA. (Ladies' Eardrop). A well-known plant of easy culture in pots for the conservatory, parlor decoration. or the open ground. Start seed early under glass. Double Mixed, pkt. 35c. Single mixed, pkt. 35c.

GAILLARDIA. A very showy garden plant, with brilliant flowers in scarlet and yellow, blended and shaded. Blooms freely from early summer till autumn. Grows one and one-half to two feet high, and the blossoms are borne on long, slender stems. Both single and double varieties are hardy.

Fine Single Mixed, Annual. Pkt. 5c.

Double Mixed, Annual. (Picta Lorenziana). Pkt. 5c.

ndiflora. Single perennial variety of varying shades of reddish brown and yellow. Pkt. 5c. Grandiflora.

GENTIANA Acaulis. Gentian. Intense blue flowers with yellow spot; 4 in. high; hardy perennial. Pkt. 10c.

RANIUM. A half-hardy perennial, flowering the first year from seed if sown early. A popular flower in brilliant colors and variously fragrant and ornamental foliage. Grows easily from seed.

Apple Scented. Very fragrant leaves.

Fancy Show Pelargonium, or Lady Washington. One of the most beautiful flowers we have; in rich, soft colors with beautiful markings. Fancy mixed. Pkt. 25c.

Zonale. Mixed. Beautiful scarlet shades. Pkt. 10c.

Gerbera. See Transvaal Daisy.

GILIA. A hardy annual growing one foot high, with white, lilac, or rose-colored flowers. A native of California. Valuable for rock-work or borders. Sow seed in the fall. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Achilleaefolia. This pretty gilia is common about San Francisco on the hills and sandy ground. Flowers come in clusters 1½ inches across and often give a blue look to the fields; 1 foot; hardy annual. **Pkt.** 5c; oz. 20c; lb. \$1.25.

Gilliflower. See Ten Weeks' Stocks.

GLADIOLUS. Well-known magnificent plants, with sword-like leaves and long spikes of flowers of every conceivable color and shade. Many new and rare varieties are produced from seed. Pkt. 10c.

GLACUM LUTEUM (Horn Poppy). A showy plant, with long silvery leaves, gracefully curved and deeply cut and curled flowers bell-shaped, orange yellow; perennial. Pkt. 5c.

GODETIA. A hardy annual, growing from six inches to ten inches high. Of compact growth, with a profusion of satiny cup-shaped flowers in deep red, pink and white, shaded and blended. Valuable for bedding or massing. Sow seed early in the year. Small flowered deep-red variety; grows wild in California. Tall Sorts. Fine mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Tom Thumb, or Dwarf Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Amoena. Deep rose-colored flowers; plants twelve to thirty inches. Our pretty wild flower known as "Farewell to Spring." Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; lb.

Duchess of Albany. White. Pkt 10c.

Lary Albemarle. Dark Crimson. Pkt. 10c.

GOLDEN-ROD (Solidago Canadensis). Well-known golden-yellow hardy perennial, flowering late in summer. Three feet. Pkt. 5c.

GOURDS-Continued.

GOMPHRENA, OR GLOBE AMABANTH. A low-growing hardy annual, everlasting, or straw flower, about eight inches high, with globe-shaped flowers, in red or white. The plant makes a good border, and the flowers are very pretty, and are attractive, either while growing or dried. Mixed, pkt. 5c. White, pkt. 5c. Crimson, pkt. 5c. GOURDS. Some varieties, besides being odd, are very ornamental.

GOURDS. mental.

Mixed ornamental varieties. Pkt. 5c. Chinese Bottle. A useful variety. Pkt. 5c.

Dish Cloth, or Luffa. The inside lining resembles a sponge; very useful. Pkt. 5c.

Dipper or Siphon. Can readily be made into a dipper. Pkt. 5c.

Nest Egg. These resemble a hen's egg and are fre-

Nest Egg. These resemble a hen's egg and are frequently used for nest eggs. Pkt. 5c.

Sugar Trough. Useful for baskets or buckets, holding from two to ten gallons each. Pkt. 5c.

Turk's Turban. Red, green, striped, etc. Pkt. 5c.

Collection 1 pkt. each of 7 kinds for 25c.

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

Ornamental grasses serve the double purpose of rendering the mixed flower-bed or border attractive during the summer, and for the use of the spikes or panicles in a dried state in winter bouquets. For large beds or groups on lawns nothing gives a finer effect.

AGROSTIS NEBULOSA. A very graceful and pretty grass—charming for borders. Annual. One and one-half feet. Pkt. 5c.

AVENA STERILIS (Animated Oats). Drooping, very graceful. Annual. Two feet. Pkt. 5c.

BRIZA AUSTRALIS. Lately discovered in Western Australia, much larger than the other brizas. The black spotted shoulders make it unusually ornamental. Pkt.

BRIZA MAXIMA (Quaking Grass). Very pretty. Annual. One and one-half feet. Pkt. 5c.

BRIZA GRACILIS (Small Quaking Grass). Annual. One foot. Pkt. 5c. Very delicate

BROMUS BRIZAEFORMIS. An elegant Briza-like grass. Pkt. 5c.

GLOXINIA. Beautiful hot-house plants, with large, bell-shaped blossoms, which come in rich, velvety-deep, and bright colors, some of which are beautifully marked. Sow in the fall or early spring. Grandiflora, Mixed, Pkt. 25c; tigered and spotted, Mixed, pkt. 25c.

GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath). A hardy annual of easy culture. Grows two to three feet high, and bears a profusion of small star-shaped white and pink flowers.

An excellent border plant; 6 inches; pink s. Pkt. 5c. Muralis.

flowers. Pkt. 5c.
iculata. Fine for bouquets; white flowers; peren-Paniculata. Fine for bouquets; white flowers; perennial.
 Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c.
 Elegans. Annual white. Very largely grown by florists for use in bouquets.
 Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c.

Pink (Elegans Rosea). A beautiful soft pink; dainty flower. Pkt. 5c.

HELENIUM, Autumnale Superbum. A showy perennial five to six feet tall, producing large deep-yellow single flowers during summer and fall; fine for cutting. Pkt. 10c.

Helianthus. See Sunflower.

HELICHRYSUM (Everlasting Flower). A free-flowering, hardy annual, growing four to five feet high and bearing beautiful straw-like flowers in a great variety of shades and colors. The stems are long and the blossoms large. It is the best and most satisfactory of the everlasting flowers, and makes a very handsome dried bouquet. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

HELIOTROPE. A half-hardy perennial, growing four to eight feet high. Small flowers, borne in graceful clusters and very fragrant. Blooms the first season from seed if sown early. Forms a large plant, and requires a roomy situation. Can also be grown against a wall and made to assume the character of a climber. King of the Blacks. Dark purple, almost black. Pkt. 10c. Queen Marguerite. Purple Blue. Pkt. 10c. White Lady. Pure white. Pkt. 10c. Finest Mixed. A mixture of the ordinary true types. Pkt. 10c.

Hesperis. See Sweet Rocket.

HIBISCUS. Giant Golden Bowl. Very large flowers, six to eight inches, of a deep cream color with velvety maroon center. Plants grow from three to five feet and are perennial and bear profusely. Pkt. 10c.

nson Eye. The flowers of this perennial are pure white with a crimson eye; six inches across; plants bloom the first year from seed and often bear fifty or more flowers at once; five feet; summer flower-Crimson Eye. Pkt. 10c.

HUMULUS, OR JAPANESE HOP. A rapid-growing, hardy climbing annual with dense leaves. Will grow twenty to thirty feet in a season, and is very valuable for covering a trellis.

Japonicus. Bright-green foliage. Pkt. 10c.

Japonicus Variegatus. Bright, variegated yellow, white and green leaves. Pkt. 10c.

COIX LACRYMA (Job's Tears). Grows two feet high. Pkt.

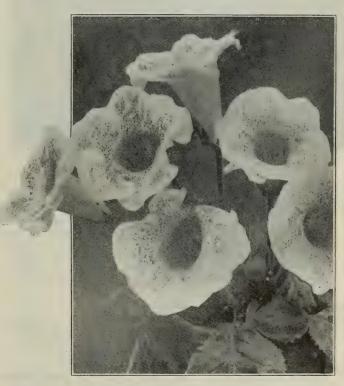
ERAGROSTIS ELEGANS (Love Grass). Very graceful and beautiful. Annual. One foot. Pkt. 5c.

EULALIA JAPONICA. One of the most beautiful of the tall-growing grasses. Five feet. Pkt. 10c.

GYNERIUM ARGENTEUM (Pampas Grass). The finest ornamental grass in cultivation. Half-hardy perennial. Ten feet. Pkt. 10c.

STIPA PENNATA (Feather Grass). One of the prettiest and most interesting. Perennial. Two feet. Pkt. 10c.

ZEA JAPONICA (Striped Japanese Maize). Pkt. 5c. Collection of 12 Varieties, 55c.



Gloxinias

HONESTY (Satin Plower; Money Plant). The flat silvery seed pods are used for winter decoration. Very handsome, free-flowering; annual. Two feet. Pkt. 5c.

HOLLYHOCK. A hardy perennial of upright, stately growth, five to eight feet high. The very double varieties are the most desirable, but the newer, semi-double, fringed types are also very popular. Hollyhocks make a fine row in a garden, or a fine back-ground next to a building or high wall or fence.

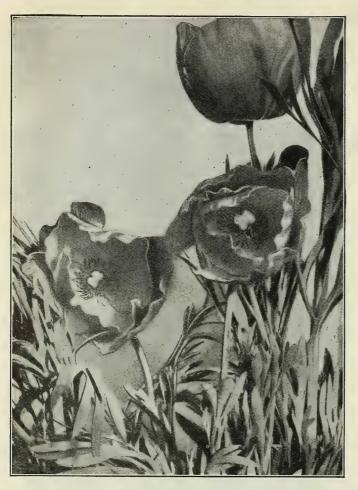
DOUBLE VARIETIES. Mixed, pkt. 10c; oz. \$1 50.

Black, Blood Red, Canary Yellow, Rose Pink, Salmon, Snow White: Each pkt. 10c; 6 pkts. assorted, 40c.

SINGLE VARIETIES. Mixed. The old-fashioned blossoms in all colors. Pkt. 5c.

Allegheny. Mixed. The semi-double, fringed variety. An artistic and pretty sort. Pkt. 10c.

Henderson's Everblooming. An early-flowering gorgeous mixture of single and semi-double blossoms. Pkt. 5c.



Hunnemannia, or Bush Eschscholtzia

HUNNEMANNIA, OR BUSH ESCHSCHOLTZIA. Known also as the Santa Barbara Poppy. An erect-growing, tender perennial, about two feet high. Foliage finecut and feathery. Blossoms, beautifully cup-shaped, bright yellow, and about three to four inches across. stems, long and smooth. There are few more satisfactory flowers in the garden than the Hunnemannia. Fumariafolia. Pkt. 5c.

Hyacinth Bean. See Dolichos.

ICE PLANT (Mesembryanthemum Crystallinum). growing and trailing tender perennial. The thick leaves seem to be covered with crystals. Used for edging embankments and box work; thrives in bright sunlight and in dry situations. **Pkt. 10c.**

IMPATIENS SULTANI (Zanzibar Balsam). Much prized for window culture. The foliage is waxy green, and with the semi-transparent branches makes a plant in itself attractive. The bright rosy carmine flowers are very delicate and pretty. Pkt. 15c.

An extensive genus, including many wellknown garden flowers. Are tender climbing annuals, from five to ten feet long, and all classes are desirable. The seed of several varieties, especially the moon flower, should have the outer shell punctured and then soaked in water for twelve hours or more to germinate it.

Bona Nox (Evening Glory, or Good Night). fragrant violet blossoms, expanding in the night. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Coccinea, or Star Ipomoea. Small scarlet blossoms; vines about ten feet. Pkt. 5c.

Grandiflora Alba (Moon Flower). Large white blossoms, five to six inches across, which expand at night. The vine grows very rapidly, as much as fifty feet in a season, and is covered at night and in the early morning with a multitude of fragrant white flowers. Pkt. 10c.

NEW MOON FLOWER. Sky Blue. Of strong, vigorous growth, the plants quickly attain a height of twelve to fifteen feet. A dense mass of large heart-shaped leaves forms a most appropriate setting for the large sky-blue flowers, which come in September in great profusion. The flowers measure nearly four inches across, and are surpassingly beautiful—of the softest cerulean blue, shading to white at the throat. May be grown as a pot plant. Pkt. 10c

Heavenly Blue. A tall climber with large light-blue flowers, yellow throated and measuring four to

five inches across. Pkt. 10c.

Setosa, or Brazilian Morning Glory. The vine has large overlapping leaves eight to ten inches across, which make a dense shade; useful for covering porches or garden fences; annual. Beautiful rosecolored blossoms three inches across. Pkt. 10c.

Learii. Large dark-blue flowers, on a quick-growing vine. Pkt. 25c.

Lutea. Yellow blossoms; vine of medium size. Pkt. 10c.

Collection of the eight varieties for 60c.

Imperial Japanese. See list under Morning Glory.
Ipomoea Quamoclit. See Cypress Vine.
Japanese Hop. See Humulus Japonicus.

KENILWORTH IVY. A hardy perennial, trailing plant, especially adapted for hanging baskets, window boxes or for trailing over walls. **Pkt. 10c.**

KENNEDYA (Bimaculata Grandiflora). A half-hardy perennial climber of much beauty. The flowers are borne in clusters of 20 or more: 10 feet; purplish blue. A pretty Australian vine. Pkt. 10c.

KOCHIA TRICOPHYLLA (Summer Cypress). A splendid ornamental annual plant, forming dense oval bushes 2 to 2½ feet high, of small, feathery, light green foliage. As summer advances this changes to a carmine hue and finally to a fiery red. A very attractive plant at all times. Also called "Burning Bush." Pkt. 10c.

KUDZU VINE (Pueraria Thunbergiana). A new climber of great merit. This vine is one of the most rapid climbers there is, growing to 20 feet quickly. Called also Jackand-the-Bean Stalk. Hardy perennial. **Pkt. 15c.**

NTANA. A tender perennial often becoming shrub-like, two to three feet high, bearing verbena-like clusters of flowers, in orange, rose and other colors. Blooms constantly all summer. Fine mixed, Pkt. 10c. LANTANA.

LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Perennial or Everlasting Pea) A hardy perennial climber flowering the first year if seed is sown in the fall. Leaves and stems smooth. Flowers resemble sweet peas, but are borne on strong stems, with eight to ten blossoms to the stem. Is not fragrant, but is hardy and showy, and thrives in any good soil. Pink Beauty. The ground of the petals is white, edged and shaded with pink. Pkt. 5c.

Grimson. Pkt. 5c.

Crimson. Pkt. 5c.

White. The best variety for cutting, especially for florists' use. Pkt. 10c. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

LAVATERA. (Tree Mallow). A showy hedge plant, growing about six feet high and covered with shrimp-pink, cup-shaped flowers. Much used for windbreaks about San Francisco. Sow in May in the open ground and thin young plants to twelve inches apart. Pkt. 5c.

LAVENDER. Chiefly cultivated for the delicious and lasting fragrance of its flowers; succeeds in any common garden soil. Perennial. **Pkt. 5c.**

LARKSPUR

OR DELPHINIUM

There are two classes of the Larkspur which are quite distinct—the annual and the perennial. Both are well known and are among the finest flowers.

HARDY ANNUAL VARIETIES. These Larkspurs grow about one and one-half to two feet high. A great variety of bright colors; of easiest culture, doing well in any soil.

Dwarf Rocket. Mixed. Dwarf plant, twelve inches for bedding; double flowers. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Emperor. Branching. The Emperor Larkspurs are very bright and showy and send up often forty or more erect spikes of double flowers; two feet.

Rose, pink-flowered. Pkt. 5c.

White. Pkt. 5c.

Mixed, fine double flowers. Pkt. 5c.

HARDY PERENNIAL LARKSPURS (Delphiniums)

These are taller than the annual sorts, and their brilliant flower spikes arrest your attention even at a distance. The foliage is attractive and the plants strong and neat in habit. By keeping the plants well watered and the flowers cut, a second crop of bloom may be had, and from some a third. The seed is a little difficult to start, so we advise sowing in a box in prepared soil and under a glass.

Cardinale. This is the grand "Southern Scarlet Lark-spur," one of the brightest and finest of California wild flowers, and which makes the Southern mountainsides a blaze of glory in mid-June; three to five feet. Pkt. 20c.

Chinese Mixed. Large single flowers on spikes; two to three feet; the flowers have all the delicate shades of blue from white to deep indigo; flowers early from seed sown in the spring. Pkt. 10c.

Elatum Hybridum. Blue of various shades with black center; very handsome; 3 to 5 feet. Pkt. 10c.

The variety most often seen. Bright blue flowers with white center. Tall spikes, three feet. Pkt. 10c.

Formosum Coelestinum. Like the above, but with azure of very light blue flowers. Pkt. 10c.

Collection of the five Perennial Larkspurs for 45c.

LEMON VERBENA. The leaves of this fine old favorite are delightfully fragrant and refreshing. Grown easily Pkt. 10c.

Shore of Southern California grows this very bright yellow wildflower. The plant is about two feet high and has succulent divided foliage. Flowers three to four inches across; annual. Pkt. 5c.

LINUM, OR SCARLET FLAX. A hardy annual, about one and one-half feet high. Of slender and graceful appearance, with smooth stems and bright-red flowers, which are borne in great profusion. Can be sown early out of doors, and thrives well in good soil.

Rubrum. Pkt. 5c.

Perennial Flax. Blue. Pkt. 5c.

LIPPIA REPENS. A dwarf branching plant which creeps over the ground, making a dense mat two inches deep. Thrives on very dry places, and after getting started needs water only once a month. Resembles white clover and is used as a substitute for grass in the lawn.

Pkt. 10c; oz. \$2.50.

LOBELIA

A hardy annual and hardy perennial. The annual grows four to six inches high; is of compact growth, and literally covered with small bright flowers. By cutting back the plants during the summer and giving plenty of water, they may be kept in flower all summer. Used for ribbon work and borders or hanging baskets.

Crystal Palace Compacta. The variety most used for borders. Deep blue flowers and dark foliage; six inches; a constant bloomer. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 50c.

Emperor William. Sky-blue; compact. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 40c.

Golden Queen. Dwarf; blue flowers, yellow leaves. Pkt. 10c.

White Gem (Compacta). Snow-white flowers cover the plant. Pkt. 10c.

Gracilis. Light blue, trailing, light green foliage. Excellent for hanging baskets. Pkt 5c.
Prima Donna. Maroon, with white eye. Pkt. 10c.

Speciosa. Deep blue flowers and dark foliage trailing. Pkt 10c.

Mixed Compact Varieties. Pkt. 5c.

Perennial Lobelias are hardy and three feet high. The blossoms are produced in tall showy spikes.

Cardinalis, or Cardinal Flower. Brilliant scarlet flower spike. Worthy of a more extensive cultivation. This plant loves a wet, boggy place, so water extra. Pkt. 10c.

LOBELIA-Cont'd.

Hybrids, Mixed. flowers. Large resembling Cardinalis. In all shades of rose, red, lilac, purple, etc. In flower all summer and fall. Pkt. 25c.

LOPHOSPERMUM SCANDENS. Tender climbing per-ennial, growing ten to twelve feet long, with showy purplish - rose blossoms some-thing like Fox-gloves. Pkt. 10c.

gloves. Pkt. 10c.
Love-In-A-Mist. See
Nigella.
Love Lies Bleeding.
See Amaranthus
Caudatus.
LUPINUS, OR LUPINS. Hardy native California California annuals, in great variety, growing from one to three feet high, and bearing spikes of pea-shaped flow-ers. Of the easi-est culture. Sow Sow open to six ir apart.

Dark blue. Long racemes beautiful blue flowers. **Pkt. 5c.**

Pink (Hybridus Roseus).Long spikes of bright pink flowers. Pkt. 10c.

Lupinus Polyphyllus. Tall handsome flowers perennial lupins with long flower spikes. Hardy. Pkt. 5c.

Mixture of all colors. Pkt. 5c.

LYCHNIS. Hardy perennial growing about three feet high and bearing bright-colored flowers in clusters. Of easy

Chalcedonica. Scarlet flowers. Pkt. 5c.

Haageana. Orange, crimson and scarlet. Pkt. 5c.

MARIGOLD. A hardy annual, shrubby plant; in dwarf and tall varieties, growing from six inches to three feet high. Foliage, bright green, deeply cut, and graceful. The flowers are various shades of yellow and brown. The tall varieties are very valuable for large bedding or background work, and the dwarf varieties for borders.

Eldorado. Called "The African Marigold." The best tall variety, with large, very double blossoms.

Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Dwarf French, Legion of Honor. Single brown and yellow. Pkt. 5c.

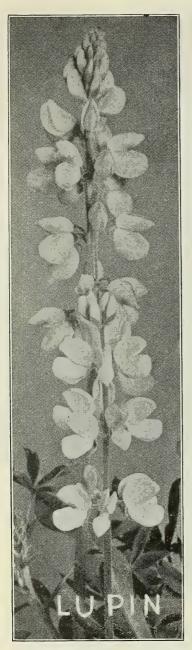
Dwarf French, Striped. Pkt. 5c.

Mixed. Small flowers. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c. Tall French Mixture. A mixture of tall double, colors in yellow, brown and stripes. Small flowered. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Pot Marigold and Cape Marigold. See Calendula.

Marguerite. See Chrysanthemum Frutescens. Marvel of Peru. See Four O'Clock. Martynia. See Garden Seed List.

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Matthiola Bicornis. Evening-Scented Stock.
The flowers are exceedingly fragrant during the evening, scenting the surrounding atmosphere. Purple flowers. Not the handsome Ten Weeks' stock which the handsome Ten Weeks' stock, which see. Hardy annual.

MIGNON-

A hardy annual, growing six to twelve inches high and bearing pyramidal - shaped flower spikes, made up of thickly-set flowerets, which are fraexceedingly grant. Grows easily from seed and can either be transplanted from boxes or sown out in the garden and thinned to four to six inches. Sow in the fall for early blossoms in the spring. Valuable for potting, or for bedding, or for border. The flowers are not attractive except for their fragrance.
Allen's Defiance. Long

spikes of whitish flowers and compact Pkt. 10c; growth. oz. 50c.

Golden Machet. A compact - grow-ing variety, with medium long, thick spikes of yellow nowers.

Pkt. 5c; oz 50c. Parson's White. A tall variety, with long spikes with silver flowers. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

Pure Machet. A compact-growing variety, with thick spikes and large size flowerets. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

Ruby Machet. A dwarf compact variety, with large stubby spikes covered with copper flowers. Pkt. 10c. Sweet Scented (Reseda Odorata). Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c. Collection of above six kinds for 25c.

Mixture of the best compact varieties Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

MANDEVILLA SUAVEOLENS (Chili Jasmine). Fine summer climber with great clusters of large, waxy, starshaped blossoms, exquisitely fragrant, resembling the single tuberose in shape. Pkt. 15c.

MATRICARIA (Double White Feverfew). Bushy perennial garden plant, bearing quantities of white double button-like flowers; useful for cutting. Pkt. 5c.

MAURANDIA (Giant-Flowering). Beautiful climber for either garden or greenhouse decoration and for hanging baskets; gemmed with Gloxinia-shaped flowers of rich purple, white, and rose, fully double the size of the older, well-known sorts. The plants from seed sown in spring will begin flowering by July and continue until frost. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c.

MINA LOBATA. A fine annual climber which grows very rapidly to a height of 20 or 30 feet in a season. Mina is one of our best climbers, the leaves are of good size and dense, and the flowers are freely borne in clusters; orange red. Useful for arbor, trellis, etc.

Pkt. of 20 seeds, 10c.

MIMULUS. A half-hardy perennial, growing from six inches to one foot high. Blooms freely and exists in a large variety of colors. Useful for window gardens and pot work or for garden in a moist, shady situation. Blooms first year from seed if sown early.

Moschatus, or Musk Plant. Fragrant plant, with small, yellow blooms, spotted lightly with brown. Pkt. 5c. Tigrinus, or Monkey Flower. Large flowers of several colors, and spotted. Pkt. 10c.

linalis. Scarlet flowered perennial; 18 inches high; useful for a border; free flowering. **Pkt. 10c.** Cardinalis.

MOMORDICA. Balsamina, or Balsam Apple. A climbing annual, growing about 10 feet long. Has graceful and ornamental foliage, yellow flowers, and warted golden-yellow fruit, with large carmine-red seeds. Balsam Apple and Balsam Pear are climbers which thrive in hot locations and are much planted around Bakersfield. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Charantia, or Balsam Pear. Same as the Balsam Apple, but fruit is pear-shaped. Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c.

Moonflower. See Ipomoea Grandiflora Alba.

Glory and for sorts not listed here.

MORNING GLORY (Convolvulus Major. See also Ipomoea). No climber is more popular than is the Morning Glory; for covering trellises or unsightly back fences they and climbing Nasturtiums are most often planted. Morning Glories grow quickly to a vine fifteen feet long and bear very abundantly brilliant flowers, funnel-shaped, of various colors, blue predominating. Soak the seed for two hours in warm water to hasten germination; of easy culture. See Ipomoeas for Brazilian Morning

Tall, or Climbing Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c. Imperial Japanese. These are much the handsomest flowers in Morning Glories, of gigantic size and in colors ranging from snow white to carmine, through every shade of blue and purple to nearly black, also marbled, striped and slashed sorts. The vine is not quite so vigorous a climber as the above. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

Dwarf, or Bush Varieties (Convolvulus Minor). Plants grow ten to twelve inches high, and are hardy annuals. Useful for beds, edges, or hanging baskets. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Mourning Bride. See Scabiosa. Musk Plant. See Mimulus Moschatus. Myosotis. See Forget-me-not.

NASTURTIUN

Tender annual, in two distinct classes--Dwarf, and Tall or Climbing.

The foliage of nasturtiums is pretty and the flowers very beautiful and contained in a great number of brightest colors and tints. Sow the seed where it is to remain late in the spring after danger of frost is over. It is seldom necessary to thin the young plants, as they will bear standing close together.

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Nasturtiums prefer dry rather rocky soil, such as we usually call "poor" soil, and bear their flowers in such locations in greater profusion than in a rich garden, where they run too much to leaves. This adds to their value for planting over many unsightly

TALL, OR CLIMBING VARIETIES

Of quick growth, covering a wall, hedge, or trellis in a short me. The brilliant blossoms almost cover the plant from top to

Butterfly. Light yellow, with blotch of deep red on lower petal. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c.

Caprice. A mixture of bright colors, spotted and shaded, with dark foliage. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c.

Chameleon. A mixture of changing and inconstant shades. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 35c; lb. \$1.20.

Dark Crimson. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ 1b. 30c.

Jupiter. Large, bright, golden yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ½

1b. 60c.



Dwarf Nasturtiums

TALL NASTURTIUMS-Continued.

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Midnight. Flowers deep brownish red; foliage deep green.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ½ lb. 60c.

Moonlight. Immense creamy-yellow flowers. Pkt. 5c; oz.

15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Orange. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Pearl, or White. Light lemon or primrose. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;

½ lb. 40c.

Rose. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Sunlight. Bright yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Twilight. Large blossoms of light salmon, suffused with rosy salmon. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

Tall Varieties Mixed. All the above varieties, besides many others, in a splendid mixture. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; lb. 70c.

25c; 1b. 70c.

leaved. A mixture of several colors; have lobed or scalloped leaves. The blossoms have scalloped edges. Very pretty and attractive. **Pkt.** 5c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c. Ivy-leaved.

VARIEGATED QUEEN, OR TALL VARIEGATED LEAVED MIXED

Every leaf is variegated with yellow, white and green. Some of the leaves are one-half to two-thirds white and yellow while others are mostly green, but beautifully striped and blotched. This gives a new and very handsome appearance to the plant.

The flowers are of all colors. It comes entirely true from seed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c.

LOBB'S CLIMBING NASTURTIUMS (TROPAEOLUM LOBBIANUM)

A tall, or climbing class. The leaves are smaller and the flowers more numerous and prolific than the ordinary tall class.

These are very similar to the ordinary climbing nasturtiums, the chief difference being in the bright shades and darker leaves of some. The flowers are slightly smaller, but are borne more freely.

Lobb's Varieties Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.00.

Asa Gray. Light lemon or primrose. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c.

Crown Prince of Prussia. Blood red. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c. Crystal Palace. Orange scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.

Crystal Palace. Orange scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.
Giant of Battles. Sulphur yellow, blotched with red. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.
King of the Blacks. Dark-red flowers and dark foliage. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.
Lucifer. Blossoms, deep crimson; leaves, brownish green. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.

Salmon red, changing to almost cream color. Pkt. Regina. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c.

Spitfire. Brilliant scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c.

Hybrids of Madam Gunter. Mixed. A splendid mixture of blotched, shaded, and variously marked petals in bright, glowing tints. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. \$1.00.

DWARF NASTURTIUMS

The plants form a small, round bush twelve to 16 inches high which is a mass of bloom all summer. Do not water too much nor sow on rich ground for abundance of bloom.

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Aurora. Yellow, veined carmine. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 30c. Chameleon. Mixed. A dwarf mixture of blotched and inconstant shades on one plant; such as bronze and crimson or yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c. Crimson. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c. Crystal Palace Gem. Sulphur yellow, spotted with carmine. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 30c.

Empress of India. Intense scarlet with foliage dark brown and green. A splendid variety. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.

Golden King. Rich golden yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c.

45c.

Golden King. Rich golden yellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ½ 1b. 45c.

"Golden Midnight." The foliage is a light yellowish-green, while the flowers are of such a dark maroon as to seem almost black. The artistic effect rendered by this contrast between leaves and blossoms is unique and at the same time beautiful. Pkt. 15c.

King of Tom Thumbs. Dark scarlet and dark-green leaves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

King Theodore. Very deep crimson and dark foliage. The darkest of all, nearly black. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c.

Rose or Pink. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

Ruby King. Bright red, tinted salmon. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

Queen of Tom Thumbs. Silver variegated foliage, crimson flowers; dwarf and compact, and a handsome bedding plant. Pkt. 10c.

Scarlet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

White Pearl. Very light lemon or primrose. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

Vellow. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 30c.

Dwarf Varieties Mixed. A splendid mixture of all the above, besides many other varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ 1b. 25c; 1b. 85c.

25c; 1b. 85c.

NEMOPHILA, OR LOVE GRASS. A hardy annual California wild-flower, growing about six inches high. Has small, cup-shaped blossoms about one inch in diameter, in white and shades of blue. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Insignis (Baby Blue Eyes). Sky blue, with white eyes. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1b. \$1.00.

Maculata. White, with each petal spotted violet at tip. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

NICOTIANA OR FLOWERING TOBACCO. A half hardy annual, growing 3 feet high, with slender tubular flower. Belongs to the tobacco family. Requires plenty of room in the garden.

Affinis. White, and very fragrant. Pkt. 5c.

Affinis Hybrids. Splendid new hybrids of the popular N. Affinis; they possess the delicious fragrance of the parent; colors blue, red, rose, white, etc. Pkt. 15c.

Colossea. Giant foliage plant of a dark glossy green with reddish ribs. Pkt. 10c.

Sanderaea. A new, large, flowering type, with various bright-colored blossoms. Pkt. 10c.

NIGELLA, OR LOVE-IN-A-MIST. A hardy annual, one foot high, with finely cut foliage. Oddly shaped blossoms in blue and white, and curious seed pods. Of easy culture. Damascena. Pkt. 5c.

OENOTHERA, OR EVENING PRIMROSE. A half hardy annual and perennial, about six inches high, bearing bright, showy flowers in white, pale yellow, rose, etc. Of the easiest culture. The blossom is fully expanded only late in the afternoon.

Annual Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Yellow (Lamarckiana). A bright yellow evening primrose, three feet high; perennial; of great beauty. The yellow evening primrose is found wild in many parts of California. Pkt. 5c.

OXALIS. A half hardy perennial bulbous plant growing about nine inches high and suitable for greenhouse, rock-work, or edgings. Flowers bright colored and showy. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.



NIGELLA OR LOVE-IN-A-MIST

MORSE'S SUPERB PANSIES

See PAGES 46 AND 47 FOR GIANT SORTS

All our Pausy seed is obtained from the most noted European specialists. Pansies thrive best in a moist, shady location and in rich, loamy soil. Seed should be sown in the autumn for early spring blossoms, or can be sown early in the year for good flowers later in the spring. The plants must be transplanted twice in order to get the largest flowers; once from the seed box to a chosen bed, and again to the open garden. This is important for large size pansies; use manure liberally. The blossoms are usually larger in the spring and again in the fall, and while they bloom freely all summer, the blossoms are small during the hot mouths. While the plants carry over well with a little covering during the winter, it is best to plant new seed each year.

Morse's Prize Strain. The very finest mixtures of truly Giant Sorts. Packet 50c. Our Giant Pansies this year are listed and described on our Novelty Pages, 46 and 47. some new rare sorts. Turn to Novelty page 47, for best Pansies.

SEPARATE COLORS OR NAMED VARIETIES

	Pkt.	Oz.		Pkt.	Oz.
Atropurpurea: dark blue\$.10	\$1.75	Prince Bismarck: golden bronze		
Auriculaeflora: fine shades			Quadricolor: or Pheasant's Eye	.10	1.75
Azure Blue		1.75	Ruby Red: rich color	.10	3.50
Bronze		2.25	Silver Edged: extra fine	.10	2.25
Emperor William: Ultramarine blue	.10	2.25	Snow Queen: pure white		
Fairy Queen: blue with azure margin			Victoria: nearly scarlet		
Fire King: crimson, yellow edge			Violet: fine violet, blue		
Golden Gem: pure yellow			White: pure white, dark eye		
Gold Margined			Large Flowering Varieties: all mixed	.10	1.50
Golden Yellow: dark eye			Striped or Mottled, Mixed	.10	
King of the Blacks or Faust: velvety black	.10	2.25	12 packets of any of the above 10c varieties	for \$	1.00;
Lord Beaconsfield: lavender, heliotrope and purple.	.10	2.00	6 for 50c.		
Peacock: peacock blue, white edge					

PASSION FLOWER (Passiflora). A half hardy perennial climber, shedding its leaves in winter. Grows luxuriantly either from cuttings or seed. A very satisfactory climber for immense growth, as it will cover a porch or small cottage in one summer.

Pink, evergreen foliage. Pkt. 10c.

Purple, pkt. 10c.

Scarlet, evergreen foliage. Pkt. 10c.

White, pkt. 10c.

Pelargonium. See Geranium.

PENTSTEMON. One of our best flowers for the hardy perennial border; grows two feet high; flowers the first season from seed, and blossoms freely. Pentstemon sends up spikes of bright colored and spotted flowers somewhat like the Foxglove, but in a great variety of shades and colors. A decidedly beautiful and satisfactory flower. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Perennial Pea. See Lathyrus Latifolius.

PERILIA NANKINENSIS. Has very dark bronze, almost black foliage. Similar to Coleus. Is of easy culture. A half hardy annual. Pkt. 5c.

Periwinkle. See Vinca.

MORSE'S GIANT PETUNIAS

A tender perennial, of several distinct types, and variously adapted for greenhouse and pot culture, and for open air. The latter grows with little attention or care, and in any soil, and blooms profusely all spring and summer. The large, double varieties do not produce seed, but the pollen from them is artificially crossed on the large, single, and fringed plants, and the seed so produced will make a percentage of double blossoms. The Giant Flowered types are in large, single, plain edged, or fringed edged blossoms, or in very thickly double flowers.

Giant Flowered Varieties, all fertilized by hand-Single. Deep throated, brilliantly blotched, plain edge, mixed. Pkt. 25c. Single. Deep throated, brilliantly blotched, fringed, mixed. Pkt. 25c. White, blotched, and brilliantly colored, Double. mixed, plain edged. Pkt. 25c. blotched, Double. Striped, mixed. Pkt. 25c. fringed. Small Flowered Varieties-Dwarf Inimitable. Mixed. A very freeblooming, dwarf plant; cherry red with white stripes. Pkt. 10c. Fine Mixed. Good mixture of small freeblooming colors. Pkt. 5c.

PHYSALIS FRANCHETTI, OR CHINESE LANTERN PLANT. A showy annual, growing two feet high and esteemed for its seed pods which in fall change from brilliant yellow to scarlet and which are round and pointed and resemble a small lantern. The fruit inside the pod is sometimes made into preserves. Pkt. 10c.

PLATYCODON GRANDIFIORA, OR JAPA-NESE BELL. A giant bell flower growing two feet tall and covered all summer with large steel-blue flowers. One of the very best perennials and should be more widely planted. Pkt. 10c.

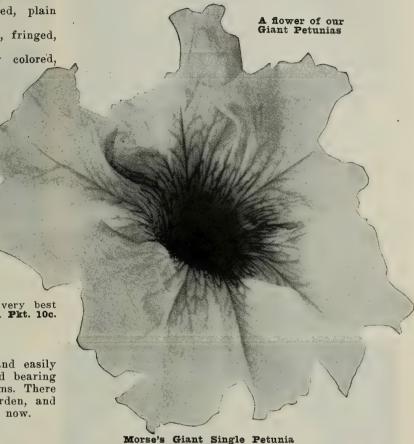
Phaseolus Caracalla. See Snail Vine.

Pinks. See Dianthus.

Polyanthus. See Primula.

PERENNIAL HARDY PHLOX. A beautiful and easily grown perennial, about three feet high and bearing clusters of bright-colored, phlox-like blossoms. There is no more satisfactory flower for the garden, and should be in far more general use than it is now.

Decussata Mixed Pkt. 10c.



PHLOX DRUMMONDII

PHLOX DRUMMONDII. Grandiflora. A hardy annual, growing from six inches to one foot high and bearing beautiful, soft-petaled, and brilliantly colored flowers all spring and summer. Fine for bedding, and massing. Sow seed in the fall for early flowers.

Alba Oculata. White with colored eye. Pkt 10c. Atropurpurea. Deep purple. Pkt. 10c Carnea. Pink, with chamois-rose center. Pkt. 10c.

Coccinea. Brilliant searlet. Pkt. 10c. Eclipse. Bright, rosy purple and violet. Pkt. 10c.

Kermisina. Vivid crimson. Pkt. 10c.

Large Blood Red. Pkt. 10c.

Pure White. Pkt. 10c.

Splendens. Dwarf, bright red, with white eye. Pkt. 10c.

Yellow (Isabellina). Soft Primrose. Pkt. 10c.

Collection, one packet each of above nine sorts for 65c. Fine Mixture of all colors of the larger types. Pkt.

5c; oz. 50c.

Dwarf Compact. Mixed. Low-growing plants, with good-sized flowers. Pkt. 10c.

Starred and Fringed. Mixed. A mixture of starshaped and pointed blossoms. Pkt. 10c.

POPPY

A hardy annual, three to five feet high, and bearing single and large double blossoms in bright colors. Sow seed in open ground where plants are to remain, and thin to six or twelve inches. If left thick the plants will be weak and spindling and the blossoms inferior. To avoid getting the seed too thick, it can be mixed with dry sand before sowing.

DOUBLE VARIETIES

(Annual) -

Cardinal. A bright scarlet, fringed, double. Pkt. 5c;

Double White, Paeony Flowered. Straight edges. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Fairy Blush. A large, double fringed white, with pink edges. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Shrimp Pink. Large double, straight edges. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

White Fringed, or Carnation Flowered. Large, double fringed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Large Double. Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

SINGLE VARIETIES

(Annual) -

Dannebrog. Brilliant scarlet, with white center; four large petals. Pkt. 5c.

POPPY—Continued

SINGLE VARIETIES

(Annual)-Tulip Flowered. Intense scarlet, single blossoms. Plant about two and one-half to three feet high. The brightest colored of all poppies. Pkt. 10c;

Shirley. The most beautiful type of poppies, having soft, hairy foliage, and an immense variety of single blossoms in white, pink, lavender, purple, shades of red, and scarlet. The petals are very dainty and look as if made from crepe paper. Free blooming and fine for bedding or tall border.

Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c. Umbrosum. Vermilion petals. brosum. Vermilion petals, with black spots on each, similar to Shirley Poppy. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c. Collection of one packet each of above ten kinds for

PERENNIAL POPPIES

* Hardy perennial, of easy culture; in bright, glowing colors. Blooms first year from seed.

Iceland. Mixed. A graceful, delicate variety, twelve inches tall, with white, orange, and yellow single blossoms, the petals resembling crumpled tissue paper. The plant is low and compact, but the flowers on their slender stalks are excellent for cutting. Sow in the fall, where plants are to remain, and thin. Pkt. 10c.

Orientale (The Large Oriental Poppy). A hardy plant, bearing large brilliant crimson flowers, with a black blotch on each petal. Very showy and attractive; two and one-half feet tall. Pkt. 10c.

Bracteatum. Immense orange-scarlet flowers very similar to the Oriental Poppy. Pkt. 10c.

PORTULACA. Low-growing or creeping tender annual, six to eight inches high, and bearing glossy, cup-shaped blossoms in very brilliant and gor-



Romneya Coulteri, or Matilija Poppy



when the weather is hot. These flowers love the sunshine an do best on rather dry ground; excellent for emban

Golden Yellow. Pkt. 5c Scarlet. Pkt. 5c. White. Pkt. 5c. Pink. Pkt. 5c. Single. Mixed. Large flowering. Pkt. 5c; oz. 500 Double. Mixed. Large flowering. Pkt. 10c.

POTENTILLA. Brilliant red flowers. Ha inches high. Often called Cinquefoil. Single Mixed. Pkt. 5c. Hardy perennial

Primrose, Evening. See Oenothera.

PRIMROSES

PRIMULA SINENSIS, OR CHINESE PRIMROS Greenhouse or pot plants, bearing trusses of lar single or double blossoms in bright colors, as well soft tints. Sow seed in April or May for wint blooming. Our seed is from the very finest strain

Giant Single Fringed Varieties-

Alba Magnifica. Pure white. Pkt. 25c.

Bright Blue. Pkt. 25c. Bright Rose. Pkt. 25c.

Rosy Morn. Blush pink. Pkt. 25c.

Scarlet. Pkt. 25c.

Single Fringed Varieties. A splendid mixture. Pl

Double Fringed Flowers. Saved from the finest ble soms. Pkt. 50c.

Single Mixed. Flowers not fringed. Pkt. 25c. Filicifolia, or Fern Leaved Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 2:

PRIMROSES-Continued.

Half Hardy Primulas-

Auricula. The Primrose of the Alps. Flowers variously colored, mostly yellow; fragrant. Seed from selected strain. Pkt. 15c.

Forbesi (Baby Primrose). The flowers are small (onehalf inch across) and borne most profusely from the time the plants are a few weeks old; pinch off the first blossoms if forced in conservatory. Culture same as P. Sinensis. Flowers lilac. Pkt. 25c.

Obconica Grandiflora. A lovely free-flowering Primula, white tinged with lilac; stems nine inches high. Pkt. 25c.

Veris Polyanthus. A hardy sort, blooming early in the open gardens. Colors mostly red and yellow. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c.

Vulgaris. The true yellow English Primrose. Pkt. 10c.

PYRETHRUM. Parthenifolium Aureum, or Golden Feather.
Small-cut leaves of bright golden yellow. A hardy perennial, with bright foliage, much used for edging and borders. Seed can be sown in the fall or spring and transplanted. Pkt. 5c.

Roseum, or Insect Powder Plant. A hardy perennial, with red-petaled flowers radiating from a golden-yellow center. Buhach, or insect powder, is made from the dry leaves. A mulching to keep the soil moist will greatly aid in producing the handsome flowers of this variety. Pkt. 5c.

Grandiflorum (Roseum Hybridum). A large-flowered type, with bright-colored and attractive blossoms for cutting. The flowers are often four inches across and vary from light pink to deep carmine, centers yellow. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Seleginoides. Fern-leaved edging plant—of great beauty.

Pkt. 10c.

Red-Hot Poker Plant. See Tritoma.

See Castor Oil Bean.

RHODANTHE (Everlasting Flower). One of the finest and most beautiful of the many varieties of everlastings; for winter bouquets, the blossoms should be gathered before fully expanded, and if dried in the shade will retain their brilliancy for years. Rose and white mixed. **Pkt. 5c.**

RANUNCULUS. Very handsome double flowers, 10 inches high, about 2 inches across. Blooms the first year from seed. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

ROMNEYA COULTERI (California Tree Poppy). well known as the Matilija Poppy. This fine perennial is of a supreme and stately beauty. It is of value as a cut flower, lasting well in water, and its delicate primrose-like perfume is most acceptable. The texture of the petals is extremely delicate, indeed, half transparent. They never lose the crumpled folds that in the case of most poppies betoken newly opened state. The flowers are large, four to five inches across, pure white with a fine bunch of yellow stamens, resembling white, single peonies. The seed takes from three to nine months to germinate. Pkt. 15c.

RUDBECKIA (Cone Flower). Bicolor Superba. The center of this flower is brown, the petals golden yellow with velvety brown spots at the base. A free-flowering annual: three feet high; very effective as a cut flower. Pkt. 5c.

iniata. A single, bright yellow perennial plant, blossoming in the late summer. Four to six feet tall. The double form known as Golden Glow is propagated by division of the root crown. See under plants. Pkt. 10c. Laciniata.

SALPIGLOSIS. A half-hardy annual, growing about three feet high and bearing trumpet shaped blossoms of rich shades and colors, all beautifully veined. It is valuable for bedding and massing, and its long stems make it excellent also for cut flowers. Sow seed early in the year and transplant, or sow the seed where it is to remain, in April, and thin to six or eight inches, enrich the soil. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Emperor (Superbissima). A splendid large-flowered strain; each stem is loaded with these most handsome flowers each one richly veined with gold. Pkt. 10c.



SUNFLOWER-Chrysanthemum Flowered.

SALVIA OR FLOWERING SAGE. A tender perennial blooming the first season from seed and growing two to three feet high. The blossoms are borne on long stems in racemes or spikes, and are fragrant. The plant forms a bunch and blooms profusely during the whole summer and fall.

Patens. Bright blue flowers, 2 feet tall. Pkt. 25c. Splendens. Bright scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 65c. Bonfire. A new dwarf Scarlet Sage, of dense compact growth, from 20 to 24 inches high; useful for bedding or borders. Flowers dark scarlet on spikes which stand clear of the foliage and at-

tract attention at once. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c.

Dark Blood Red. A new tall variety with large flower spikes, much darker and richer than other scarlets. Dazzling and beautiful, 31/2 feet. Pkt. 10c.

A hardy trailing annual, six inches high and bearing bright yellow blossoms resembling a minature double Zinnia. Of the easiest culture and valuable for rockwork or borders. Procumbers Fl. Pl. Pkt. 5c. SANVITALIA.

SCABIOSA OR MOURNING BRIDE. Also called Sweet Scabious, Old Maid's Pincushion, etc. Our mammoth flowered strain of this old-fashioned flower is very beautiful and worthy of a place in every garden; the tall flowers are especially adapted for cutting and massing in the garden. Annual (self sown in California) 2½ to 4 feet high. These new flowers are double clear to the center, covering the thimbleshaped cone.

Mammoth Flowered, Double, or Maxima. Mixed. An improved strain, with large petals and beautiful colors. Pkt. 5c.

Dwarf Double Mixed Pkt. 5c.

Tall Double Azure Fairy. Light Blue. Pkt. 10c. Tall Double Black Purple. Pkt. 10c.

Tall Double Rose. Pkt. 10c.

Tall Purple Edged White. Pkt. 10c. Tall Double Snowball. Pkt. 10c.

SCABIOSA Caucasica. A hardy perennial variety, with pale blue flwers 4 to 5 inches across and long stems. One of the handsomest perennial flowers; valuable for cutting. Pkt. 10c.

Scarlet Flax. See Linum.

SCHIZANTHUS. Hardy annuals, growing one and onehalf to two feet high and covered with bright, showy, butter-fly-like blossoms. Large flowering.

wisetonensis. This variety is remarkably free-flowering, and presents a beautiful appearance with its myriads of blooms, the ground color of which is white, dotted with delicate rose. A very shy seeder. Make several plantings, as the plants come into bloom quickly, are a burst of color, and are out of bloom. Pkt. 25c.

SEDUM. **DUM, COERULEUM.** Blue Stone Crop. A little annual bedding plant 4 inches high, good in carpet work. Pkt. 10c.

SENECIO (Tall Double Jacobea). A showy, free-flowering hardy annual. It produces, in great profusion, branching spikes of Cineraria-like double flowers, one and one-half inches in diameter, from spring until fall. Excellent for bouquets.

Elegans. Double mixed. Pkt. 10c.

SILENE, OR CATCHFLY. Hardy annual, growing about one foot high and bearing small, attractive flowers in various colors. Of easy culture and valuable for bedding. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

SMILAX. A climbing perennial, with beautiful, brightgreen glossy leaves, much esteemed for its long, delicate sprays of foliage. Largely used for decorating. Start seed under glass and transplant six inches apart. It requires strings or wires to climb on when very young. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c.

SNAIL VINE (Phaseolus Caracalla). The flowers of this perennial climber are coiled so as to resemble a snail shell, whence the name. The flowers are fragrant and of a buff yellow and light purple color. Grows to a height of twenty feet, and is a good climber. Pkt. 10c.

STATICE SINUATA (Sea Lavender). A blue everlasting flower much used by florists for winter bouquets. Annual, two to three feet. Each floweret is small but the plant is very effective. **Pkt. 5c.**

SPIDER PLANT. See Cleome Pungens.

SNAPDRAGON (Antirrhinum). A half-hardy perennial, growing from 1½ to 3 feet tall. Flowers are oddly shaped and apparently closed, but by pressing the sides together can be made to open like a dog's mouth. The newer strains are large flowered and contained in a great number of shades and colors. Their rich spikes are beautiful for cutting and keep fresh a long time. Very easily raised.



Snapdragons-Giant Flowered

SNAPDRAGON

TALL LARGE FLOWERING TYPE

Crescia. Scarlet. Pkt. 10c. Firefly Scarlet and white. Pkt. 10c. Pink. Large. Pkt. 10c.

Queen Victoria. Pure white. Pkt. 10c. Venus. This is a delicate shade of pink tint which has

hitherto been wanting in the tall large-flowered Snapdragons, and this is just the color most in demand at the present time for cutting and making up.

Venus is admirably fitted to supply this deficiency, being a lovely pink shade on white ground, set off by a pure white throat. Flowers large and wavy.

This splendid new Snapdragon will soon become one of the most valued sorts. Per sealed packet, 25c. Yellow. Large. Pkt. 10c.

Giant Flowered. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

SEMI-DWARF TYPE

8 to 12 inches high for bedding. Niobe. Maroon with white throat. Pkt. 10c. Picturatum. Blotched varieties mixed. Pkt. 10c. Queen of the North. Pure white. Pkt. 10c. Tom Thumb, or Dwarf. Mixed. Pkt. 5c. Collection of 8 named sorts for 60c.

SOLANUM CAPSICASTRUM (Jerusalem Cherry). A very ornamental plant for house or garden culture, the flowers being followed by small brightly colored fruit or berries, which almost completely cover the plants. Flowers and fruits the first season from seed. Pkt. 10c.

Solanum Seaforthianum. Only in California in nearly frostless places can this handsome vine be found as a perennial climber. The flowers are a lovely light blue in immense drooping panicles like clusters of Wistaria. Scarlet seed-berries follow the flowers. Six to twelve feet. May be treated as a tender annual. Pkt. 15c.

VIA. A tender perennial, one and one-half feet high and bearing clusters of small, white, fragrant blossoms. Suitable for summer or winter blooming, and for pot culture or open air. **Serrata. Pkt. 10c.** STEVIA.

STOCKS

Ten Weeks' Stocks, or Gilliflowers; Levkoje

Stocks is one of the old time favorites, and no garden was considered complete without its row of these beautiful flowers. They come in all shades—delicate pink, white, red, cream, and purple. Stocks are annual and hardy; they may be sown out of doors in spring, or in boxes in winter and

transplanted. Sow early % inch deep. While all will flower the first year, the Dresden, Brompton and

Winter Stocks will last for two years.

Stocks have been greatly improved by selection, and our strains, which are raised by expert growers, give fully eighty per cent. of double flowers, where others give only half this percentage. There always will be some single plants, as those are the only ones which bear seed, and the plants should be set out in the garden sufficiently close for these single ones to be pulled up when they show their first flower, and still leave plenty of fine double plants. Stocks are of easy culture, are a long time in bloom, are hardy, beautiful, and very satisfactory.

SUMMER STOCKS

Morse's Dwarf Large Flowering Ten Weeks: strain of these has great rosettes set closely together so that the entire plant is hidden in the mass of bloom. Plants 12 to 15 in. tall, and early; the best for bedding effects or edges. Ours is a selected strain.

Blood Red. Pkt. 10c. Lavender. Pkt. 10c. White. Pkt. 10c Canary Yellow. Pkt. 10c. Pink. Very dainty. Pkt. 10c. Carmine Pink. Pkt. 10c. Purple. Pkt. 10c. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Collection of eight sorts for 60c.



Beautiful Winter Flowering Stocks

STOCKS—Cont.

Giant Perfection, An early or Ten Weeks' Stock, Stock, with tall spikes of large very flowers. double This stock branches into a pyramidal form and is two feet tall. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Cut and Come Again, or Dresden Perpetual. A type of early flowering Stock with large flowers on tall spikes. These stocks are perpetually in bloom and make fine cut flowers.

Princess Alice, or Dresden White. A pure white double Stock, very largely used by florists. Pkt. 15c.

Dresden Mixed, Pkt. 10c.

WINTER STOCKS

This class of later flowering Stocks is coming into greater popularity as more varieties are introduced. Last year we had a fine new white Stock of this class. called White Lady. There are now several colors-light pink, carmine rose, lilac, and our new white. These Stocks are called by some Giant Nice Stocks, and by others Beauty The plants Stocks. are of fine symmetrical habit, bushy and from 18 to 24 inches tall. These Stocks branch freely and the branches are well set with double flowers. For fall blooming sow the

seed in spring, and for winter flowers sow in summer. The plants are in flower about 15 weeks from time of sowing seed. All of the following Stocks belong to this class except the Emperor Stocks.

Emperor Large Flowering. A very fine double biennial Stock with finest flowers closely set on spikes, about 16 in. high. Good for open garden or for pot culture. White, Pkt. 20c. Mixed, Pkt. 20c.

mdance. The principal quality of Abundance is its phenomenal profusion of bloom. It can be used as either a summer or winter stock, and by sowing the seed early in June it will bloom by Christmas. The color is beautiful carmine rose. Pkt. 25c.

White Lady Our new pure white witter Stock grows about 20 inches high, has large branches bearing luitrous snowy white, double flowers most freely. The grandest white Stock there is. Pkt. 25c.

Beauty of Nice. A beautiful flesh pink with very large spikes. It is of the cut and come again type, bearing continuously throughout the season. Very large handsome spikes. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

Empress Elizabeth. A splendid Brompton or winter Stock, rather dwarf, 18 inches high; covered with large double flowers of bright carmine rose. Pkt. 25c.

Queen Alexandra. Similar to Beauty of Nice, except in color, which is rosy-lilac, a shade that shows beautifully under artificial light. Pkt. 15c.

Winter, or Perennial Brompton. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

STOKESIA, OR CORNPLOWER ASTER. A hardy perennial, two feet high, and bearing large blue flowers on long stems. Blooms freely all Summer and Fall, and is of easy culture, but it hard to start from seed. Cyanea. Pkt. 10c.

Stone Crop. See Sedum.

STRAWFLOWERS. See Acrolinium; Gomphrena; Helichrysum; Honesty; Statice; Rhodanthe, Xeranthemum.
SUNFLOWER (Helianthus). Hardy annuals, growing

from three to six feet high. Of the easiest culture and suitable for a stately row or background, or even for bedding. Plant when the ground is well warmed in light or sandy soil.

Chrysanthemum Flowered. Large, densely double, bright golden flowers. The plant branches and affords fine, long stout stems for cutting. This is the best variety in existence; 6 to 8 feet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Russian. The common, large flowering single variety, with great brown centers and an edge of yellow petals. The seed is used for chicken feed. Pkt. 5c.

Cucumerifolius Perkeo (Miniature Sunflower). Cucumerifolius sunflowers are small both in flower and plant and are often called Cut and Come Again Sunflowers. Perkeo is only 2 feet tall but is covered with small (three-inch) golden yellow flowers with a dark eye. Pkt. 10c.

Cucumerifolius Stella. Is considerably taller than Perkeo and has larger single flowers 6 inches across; yellow with black center. Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c

Cucumerifolius, Double Hybrids. Fine double and semi-double miniature sunflowers. Pkt. 10c.

Sweet Alyssum. See Alyssum.

SWEET ROCKET (Hesperis). A hardy perennial, growing two to three feet high. An old-fashioned, fragrant flower of the easiest culture, and bearing clusters of white and purple blossoms. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Sweet Sultan. See Centaurea Moschata.

SWEET WILLIAM. (Dianthus Barbatus). A hardy perennial, blooming the second year from seed. Grows one to two feet high and bears its flowers in clusters at the end of a stiff stem. The individual flowerets are handsomely colored and marked. It makes a beautiful bedding plant, and is of easy culture.

Single Varieties. Mixed. More attractive than the double. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

Double Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

THUNBERGIA, OR BLACK-EYED SUSAN. A hardy annual climber, growing about four feet long, and valuable for low fences or hanging baskets. Prefers a sunny situation. Blossoms are buff, orange, or white, with dark centers. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

TORENIA. A hardy annual, with trumpet-shaped flowers and growing four to six inches high; in bloom all summer. Good for hanging baskets or borders, or for bedding. In the hot parts of California where Pansies do not do so well Torenia will be found an excellent substitute, as it thrives under such conditions.

Pournieri. Velvety blue, with three dark spots of indigo and a bright yellow throat. Pkt. 5c.

White Wings. Dainty, white flowers, tinted with rose at throat. Pkt. 10c.

TRITOMA, New Hybrids (Red-Hot Poker Plant). The plants make a dazzling spot in the garden in summer and fall; their tall spikes (4 feet) contain over one hundred flowers of bright orange or scarlet or yellow. South African perennials well adapted to California. Pkt. 15c.

TRANSVAAL DAISY (Gerbera Jamesoni Gigantea). Is a herbaceous perennial and grows in heavy clumps. The leaves are about one foot long and deeply cut. The stems are long and stout, growing erect about eighteen inches high and bearing a large daisy-like blossom, similar in shape to a Marguerite, but of an intense vermilion color. The blossoms measure from 3 to 4 inches in diameter and are beautiful and

last well when cut.

The plant is easily grown from seed planted in the spring. Sow seed in boxes in clear sand mixed with leaf mold and cover about one-eighth inch deep. Plant with the fuzzy end of the seed just above the ground, being careful not to break it off. Do not overwater. They transplant easily to the garden and want a well-drained soil, as they do best in a rather dry situation.

Be sure to give the plants an

Be sure to give the plants an airy, sunny place in the garden and a little protection on frosty nights.

Per packet of 15 seeds, 25c.

VALERIAN. Showy plants for mixed borders or shrubberies, bearing large corymbs of bright flowers; bears shade and moisture well. Hardy perennial, two and one-half feet. Flowers bright red and white. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

VERBENA. A half hardy trailing perennial of easy culture. While it grows readily from division of the root or from cuttings, it does best from seed. It is well known as a bedding, or border plant, and the improved large flowered and fragrant strains make it a handsome cut flower for low vases.

Mammoth Auricula Flowered Various colors, with large white center. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50. Mammoth Flowered. Mixed. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. \$1.75.

Pink Shades. Mammoth strains of rose and pink shades. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c.

Pure White. Mammoth strain. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 50c. Purple and Blue Shades. Mammoth strains. .Pkt. 10c;

½ oz. 50c.
 Scarlet Defiance. Brilliant searlet. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 75c.

Striped Varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Hybrida Grandiflora. New giant flowering Verbena in new and beautiful shades. Per pkt. 20c.

Morse's Extra Selected Mammoth Strain. Mixed. Pkt. 15c.

Collection of 6 named varieties 45c.

VINCA, OR MADAGASCAR PERIWINKLE. A tender perennial, with ornamental foliage, useful for bedding in summer and for the greenhouse in winter. Blooms freely the first year from seed. The trailing blue Vinca or Myrtle never seeds; see plant list. Rose, crimson, white, etc. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

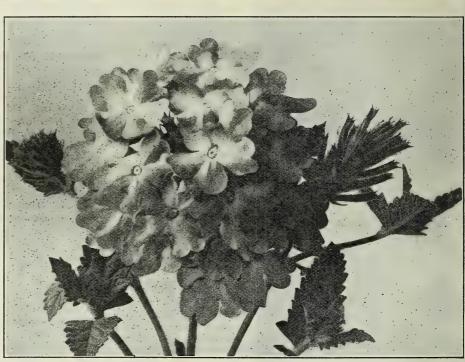
VIOLAS, or TUFTED PANSIES. These dainty violet-like flowers make one of the finest bedding plants; their colors are so clear and they bloom for such a long time during the whole summer; 6-inch perennial, blooming quickly from seed, excellent bedding "effect."

Purple Queen (Cornuta). Pkt. 10c.
Rose Queen. A new, rosy-lilac viola. Pkt. 15c.
White. Pkt. 10c
Yellow. Pkt. 10c.
Mixed, all varieties. Pkt. 10c.

violet, or viola odorata. Although these flowers do best propagated from cuttings, they grow readily from seed, and produce a very fragrant blossom. We offer the large flowering favorite blue variety. Single, Sweet-scented. Pkt. 10c.

VIRGINIA CREEPER (Ampelopsis Quinquefolia). Perennial climber. Large leaves, which color in the fall; also bears clusters of dark fruit; flowers inconspicuous. Very ornamental and easily raised from seed. Height thirty feet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c.

VIRGINIA STOCKS. A hardy annual, growing about nine inches high and blooming profusely. Of easy culture, and can be had in continuous bloom by sowing the seed at frequent intervals during spring and summer. Red and White mixed. Pkt. 5c.



Mammoth Flowered Verbena

VISCARIA (Rose of Heaven.). Pretty, profuse flowering plants; adapted for beds, edgings or clumps, growing readily in any garden soil; flowers pink and white, shaped somewhat like a single pink; annual; twelve inches tall. Pkt. 5c.

WALLFLOWER. Half hardy perennial blooming the first year from seed. Grows one to two feet high and bears long stems of fragrant flowers. It is best to renew the plants every two or three years by resowing the seed. An old-fashioned flower, which is always popular. Sow early in the year in boxes and transplant.

Tall German Double. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c.

Fine Single. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Tom Thumb Golden. Small, compact plant, single blossoms. Pkt. 10c.

Dwarf German Double. Pkt. 10c.

WILD GARDEN FLOWER SEED. This is a mixture of the easiest growing and surest blooming annual flowers. These are not all wild flowers but are good to plant in waste places and will give plenty of bloom. Sow early.

Tall Sorts. Growing from 18 inches to 36 inches high.

Per oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; 1/2 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

Dwarf Sorts. Growing from 12 inches to 18 inches high.

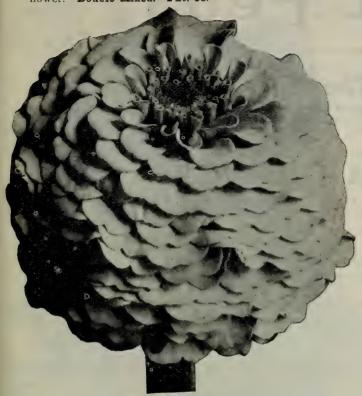
Per oz. 15c; ¼ 1b. 45c; ½ 1b. 85c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

WHITLAVIA. An easily grown, hardy annual, bearing small violet-blue, cup-shaped blossoms. Plants one foot high. Sow seed in open ground in spring and thin the young plants. Pkt. 10c.

WISTARIA, Chinese Flowering, Tall Blue. One of our most popular hardy climbers, growing to a height of fifty feet. The flowers are abundantly borne in spring on long drooping racemes of light blue before the leaves

appear. Pkt. 15c.

A hardy annual, about two feet high, and bearing white, purple, or yellow blossoms. The leaves are hairy or covered with a silvery down. A very pretty, straw-like everlasting flower. Double Mixed. Pkt. 5c.



Zinnia-Mammoth Double.

ZINNIA. A half hardy annual, growing from one to two feet high. Blossoms are very double, and while the stems are stiff, they make an excellent bouquet flower. Probably no flower has such an assortment of bright shades, tints, and colors; no bedding plant is more effective for a brilliant show. Sow in boxes early and transplant.

Mammoth Double-

Black Purple. Pkt. 10c. Dark Crimson. Pkt. 10c. Deep Red. Pkt. 10c. Magenta. Pkt. 10c.

Orange. Pkt. 10c.

Scarlet. A bright shade.

White. Pkt. 10c. Yellow. Pkt. 10c.

Mixed, all colors. Pkt. 10c.

Collection of eight colors for 50c.

DOUBLE GIANTS (Grandiflora Robusta Plenissima)

Five distinct new colors in these truly giant flowered zinnias. The individual blossoms measure from $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 inches in diameter, are very double and have wide petals. This strain of zinnias are peculiarly free flowering and robust and bloom freely until late in

In separate colors: Sulphur-yellow, Flesh color, Crimson, Violet, Purple.

Per sealed packet, 20c; 5 packets, 1 of each color, 75c.

Double Lilliput. A dwarf plant, one foot high, bearing rather small, very double flowers. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Grandiflora Bobusta. The largest variety in existence The blossoms are globe-shaped, very large, and in numerous colors. The plants are taller than the other varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Pompon Mixed. A fine mixture of globe-shaped flowers

Elegans. Tall, double. Mixed. Pkt. 5c. Striped, or Zebra. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

MORSE'S COMMISSION SEEDS

It has become a very common sight to see C. C. Morse & Co.'s papers and packages of vegetable and flower seeds in most of the stores throughout the Pacific Coast and the

Middle Southern States. Most of the leading stores from New Orleans to Butte, Montana, carry one or more of our Commission Boxes, in which is an assortment of the more generally used or standard varieties of and flower vegetable seeds in 5c, 10c and 15c papers and packages.

These goods are our best seeds and are put up each year with the utmost care. No firm in the seed business realizes more than we the responsibility of selling good seeds of the highest possible quality. We

must have the planter's confidence, because if the seeds he sows does not give satisfaction, we not only lose him but his friends and neighbors.

Satisfied customers mean a steadily increasing business, and as our sales of these Commission Assortments are multiplying faster than our most sanguine hopes, we feel assured that our efforts in putting up high class seeds are being appreciated.

The more popular and better known varieties are in these Commission Boxes, but there is naturally a very long list of vegetables and field, farm and flower seeds which



cannot be sent out on commission, and these we will supply promptly by mail.

Kindly read this catalogue for whatever interests you have in garden supplies, and let your order be for Morse's Seeds either by mail direct or through your dealer. In any event use MORSE'S SEEDS and have none other.



Best In The World

Sweet Peas may be sown with best results in the Fall, especially for places that are dry and hot in Summer. But seed may be sown any time from November first to March first, and by following carefully our cultural directions, anyone may have the very finest Sweet Peas in any ordinary season. These cultural directions and general Sweet Pea information are fully covered in our booklet, entitled

"SWEET PEA CULTURE"

This booklet of 16 pages is well illustrated, very carefully written and is an invaluable guide to anyone who is interested in growing Sweet Peas. We will gladly mail it to anyone writing for it, or a copy may be secured by simply calling for it at our Seed Store or Nursery.

It has been our custom to offer several new Sweet Peas every year, chosen from our own Experimental Grounds, and this year in spite of very unfavorable crops, we are offering two, which we have named Margaret Atlee and Duplex Cream.

In addition to these two sterling novelties, we are offering five of the very finest English novelties of the past two seasons and the best of our own splendid novelties of last season, viz., Margaret Madi-

These are more particularly described as follows:

NEW DUPLEX SWEET PEA

"MARGARET ATLEE" own raising and which we are justly proud of. This Sweet Pea belongs to the new Duplex type and is the most perfect example of that type yet introduced. It differs from those already introduced on account of its those alrea those already introduced on account of its large size, great vigor and beautiful coloring. The color is a warm salmon pink, perfectly suffused over a cream ground. The cream deepens into a bright buff at base of standard and wings and this lights up the flower with great effect. The standard and wings are alike in color and the general appearance is a warm self pink. The shade of pink found in "Margaret Atlee" is entirely a new shade and commands admiration. The flowers are of extraordinary size and we measured many flowers $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches across the standards.

The blossoms are borne almost uniformly stout stems. The Duplex character is carried out in almost every case to three flowers and in a large percentage, to the four flowers on each stem.

Capital illustrations of this flower will be found on the front of our Booklet and on the back cover of our 1913 general catalogue. Certificate of Merit American Sweet Pea Society. Per packet of 20 seeds, 25c. Per Sweet Pea Society. P packet of 10 seeds, 15c.

NEW DUPLEX SWEET PEA This is the third novelty "DUPLEX CREAM" from our own workshop which we are introducing this year. To those familiar with the "Duplex" type of Sweet Pea, the name would seem almost a description. Duplex Cream, however, on account of the double standard, has fully twice as much color as other varieties of the same shade. The standards are large, bold and heavifully waved. Duplex Cream is a vigor-

double standard, has fully twice as much color as other varieties of the same shade. The standards are large, bold and beautifully waved. Duplex Cream is a vigorous grower and produces many fours. A few sprays, when bunched, have a very rich, deep cream appearance amounting almost to a soft shade of yellow. We have pleasure in illustrating this grand variety on the back cover of our Sweet Pea Booklet. Per packet of 30 seeds, 25c. Per packet of 15 seeds, 15c.

ARGARET MADISON"

The color is a clear azure blue, shade over the entire surface of both standard and wings. It is the most delicate and definite light skyblue in existence, and is a color we have long been striving for in Spencers. "MARGARET MADISON" ing for in Spencers.

This variety was certificated by the National Sweet Pea This variety was certificated by the National Sweet Pea Society of America at the Philadelphia Show, under No. 3875. It is one of the most distinct varieties on trial at Fordhook and is worthy of introduction. Had noth-ing from England that could approach it in color; en-tirely distinct. Many visitors picked it out as the "gem" of the trials. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

NEW SWEET PEA "STIRLING STENT"

This variety gained a first class certificate and silver medal from the National Sweet Pea Society of England as being the best Novelty in 1910. We have pleasure in now offering seed for sale. The color is a glorious deep salmon suffused with orange. The flowers are of superb Spencer form and well placed on the stem. This is really a beautiful Sweet Pea and by artificial light is particularly effective. We are sure all who grow this Pea will be amazed at the beautiful color. Salmon Peas are inclined to burn in strong sunshine and we recommend growing in light shade or using shading material in order to get the full beauty of the color. Per packet, 25c.

NEW SWEET PEA "THOMAS STEVENSON" who like bright colors "Thomas Stevenson" will prove to be a beauty. The color is very brilliant orange scarlet. The standard has more orange color than the wings and this brightens up the flower. The flowers are of the very finest Spencer form and generally come four to each stem. The stems are long and strong and borne on very vigorous vines. This variety also comes to us from England, where it has proved to be a tremendous favorite, with the "Hawlmark" of the Royal Horticultural Society. Should be grown in light shade. Per packet, 25c. growers s "Thomas

PEARSON" has caused quite a sensation during the last two years in England and we have great pleasure in now introducing it to the American Growers. We have grown it on our own farms and Trial Grounds and satisfied ourselves that this is a variety of outstanding merit. It is a very much glorified "Florence Morse Spencer," but that comparison by no means describes the flower. The color is pale pink on white ground, the young flowers, however, hay-**NEW SWEET PEA "ELFRIDA** son by no means describes the flower. The color is pale pink on white ground, the young flowers, however, having a decided and distinct tint of buff. The plant is exceptionally vigorous and the stems are very stout on which the flowers are borne in fours. The flowers can only be described as huge, many measuring $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches across the standard. Besides receiving an award from the Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain, this variety was placed on top by the National Sweet Pea Society in the Pink Section. Per packet, 25c.

buff in the most improved giant Spencer type. The color is soft but bright and most pleasing. The aim of Sweet Pea experts is to get greater size in addition to waviness and fixity of type. In Mrs. Hugh Dickson, the largest size is attained, and with its improved dimensions it has brought a robust and vigorous disposition. The stems are long and bear uniformly four blossoms. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c. "MRS. HUGH DICKSON"

A LIST OF MOST OF THE BEST SWEET PEAS



QUEEN OF SPAIN. G. Buff pink or creamy rose. distinct shade. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

RAMONA SPENCER. W. S. Ivory white, with soft blush carmine stripes and flakes. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

DEEPER PINK SHADES

Janet Scott. G. Clear pink at base and shading to buff at edges. Oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 50c.

BEATRICE SPENCER. W. S. Buff, pink and rose, with deeper rose wings. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

COUNTESS SPENCER. W. S. The original giant flowered Spencer, with finest waved standard wings. Clear pink. The first choice of all Sweet Peas. ½ oz. 20c; oz. 35c.

ROSE AND VERY LIGHT PINK

BI-COLOR

Farliest of All, or Extra Early Blanche Ferry. E. F. The earliest of all Sweet Peas. Bright rose standard, with white wings. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

le Blossom. G. Crimson pink, shading lighter, wings white, tinted pink. Oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c. Apple Blossom. G.

Jeannie Gordon. G. Standard bright rose, wi tinted with light rose. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c. wings primrose,

APPLE BLOSSOM SPENCER. W. S. Very large, standard very bright rose, wings primrose with a flush of rose tint. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

BLANCHE FERRY SPENCER. W. S. Rose standard, white wings tinted light pink. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

MRS. A. IRELAND. W. S. Standard bright rose proceedings base, wings blush. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c. pink with

LIGHT PINK SHADED

Lovely. G. Standard and wings have white ground with distinct blotch of deep pink at base and shading to lighter pink and flesh at edges. Oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 50c.

DAINTY SPENCER. W. S. Very large Spencer, white with rose-pink edges. Fer pkt. 10c; ½0z. 20c.

ELSIE HERBERT. W. S. Pure white with margin of rose. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

LOVELY SPENCER. W. S. A Spencer type with the Lovely color combinations. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

EVELYN HEMUS. W. S. Buff and primrose, with clear rose margin. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

Mrs. C. W. Breadmore. W. S. Rose, pink margined on a ground of primrose. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

MARTHA WASHINGTON. W. S. White ground with bright pink margin suffusing to center. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz.

ORANGE PINK SHADES

Aurora. G. White, with stripes and flakes of orange-pink. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

Bolton's Pink. G. Brilliant pink, with tint of salmon. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

Miss Willmott. G. Bright orange pink, showing veins of a deeper tint. Oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 50c.

St. George. G. A brilliant orange pink, or more correctly, flame color. The most brilliant of all Sweet Peas. Per. pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

AURORA SPENCER. W. S. One of the finest Spencers.

Bright orange-pink striped, mottled and flaked on white.

Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

HELEN LEWIS. W. S. Very large orange pink, with especially bright, orange standard. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

MIRIAM BEAVER SEEDLINGS. W. S. This is our last year's sensational novelty; a clear apricot pink self color. Unfortunately it cannot be "fixed" and will not come more than 50% true. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

Constance Oliver. W. S. Cream ground suffused with orange pink. Per pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 40c.

Nell Gwynne. W. S. Cream ground overlaid with salmon rose. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

BRIGHT RED SHADES

Duplex Crimson King. W. S. A rich blood red, self color, in the giant double standard type. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

King Edward VII. G. One of the very best pure red shades. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

Queen Alexandra. G. The nearest approach to a true scarlet. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

AMERICA SPENCER, W. S. Bright red, striped and flaked on white ground, very large. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

KING EDWARD SPENCER. W. S. The best pure red Spencer; very large with especially immense wings. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c.

Maud Holmes. W. S. Mammoth wavy brilliant red. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

ROSE CRIMSON SHADES

Mrs. E. Wilde. E. F. Very early bright crimson rose. Per pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

Lord Roseberry. G. Bright rose, suffused with magenta and showing veins of rose. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

Prince of Wales. G. Clear rose-crimson, self color, large and shell-shaped. Oz. 20c; ½ lb. 50c.

GEO. HERBERT. W. S. A large Spencer rose-crimson, suffused with magenta and showing veins in wings. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

MARIE CORELLI. W. S. Bright glowing crimson, self. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

Gaiety Spencer. W. S. Bright rose crimson striped and flaked on ivory white. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

Rainbow Spencer. W. S. Soft rose splashed and flaked on ivory white. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

LAVENDER SHADES

Mrs. Chas. H. Totty, E. F. Early lavender and shell-shaped. Oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

Lady Grisel Hamilton (Improved Countess of Radnor). Soft layender, tinted with mauve in standard. Oz. dnor), G. Oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 50c.

Mrs. Geo. Higginson, Jr. G. Clear azure blue self color. Oz. 20; 1/4 lb. 50c.

CA OHN. W. S. The best lavender Spencer. Is more truly a soft, pinkish lavender self. Very large and wavy. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c. ASTA OHN. W. S.

FLORA NORTON SPENCER. W. S. This variety is more truly an Unwin in size, but is nicely waved. Bright blue with tint of purple. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

Zephyr. W. S. Silvery blue self, large and wavy. Per pkt. 25c. FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE. W. S. Large wavy bluish lavender. Per pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c.

Margaret Madison. W. S. See page 74. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c. Pearl Gray Spencer. W. S. Lavender on light primrose, giving bluish-gray effect. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

Masterpiece. W. S. Large wavy lavender-tinted mauve. Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

MAUVE AND PURPLE SHADES

Mrs. Walter Wright. G. Rosy purple self colored, large shell shaped. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

Romolo Piazanni. G. Rosy purple, turning clear blue with age. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

Irish Belle, or Dream. W. S. Rich lilac, flushed with pink. Pkt. 15c.

TENNANT SPENCER. W. S. A giant Spencer, rosy purple self. The very best variety of this shade. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

LAVENDER AND MAUVE SHADED PICOTEE EDGED

tie Eckford. G. White ground shaded with lilac, and having a deeper border at the edges of both standard and wings. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c. Lottie Eckford. G.

nomenal. G. A large fluffy variety called orchid flowering; white ground shaded with blue and lavender with edge of blue. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c. Phenomenal. G.

Kenophon. G. and W. Orchid flowering type with duplex standard; opens white but soon turns lavender. **Pkt.** 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

BLUE AND PURPLE SHADES

Countess of Cadogan. G. Standard purple, wings clear blue. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c.

Dobbie's Mid Blue. G. A very clear bright blue. Oz. 20c; 1/4 1b. 50c. Helen Pierce. G.

en Pierce. G. Clear blue marbled on ivory white, frequently called gloxinia flowered on account of its speckled effect. Oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c. on account of its

CAPT. OF THE BLUES, or WAVERLY SPENCER. W. S. Clear purplish blue turning lighter at edges later in the season. Very large. **Per. pkt. 10c;** ½ oz. 20c.

SENATOR SPENCER. W. S. A very large and attractive Spencer variety and one of our best last season's set of novelties. Chocolate and seal brown striped, flaked and mottled on ivory white. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

DEEP MAROON SHADES GRANDIFLORA VARIETIES

Black Knight. G. Similar to Boreatton, the popular open form type, glossy deep maroon. The same shade as a Black Tartarian cherry. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

Othello. G. Same shade as Black Knight but of hooded or shell shape. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

OTHELLO SPENCER. W. S. Of immense size with large drooping wings and large wavy standard. Deep rich maroon, very dark and adapted for many attractive combinations. Per pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c.

DARK BLUE AND VIOLET SHADES

Arthur Green. W. S. Wine color or claret self color. Pkt. 25c.

Horace J. Wright. G. Large hooded or shell shape, violet
and maroon. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

Lord Nelson, or Brilliant Blue. G. A darker strain of "Navy
Blue." Very dark. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

Midnight, or Black Bird. G. Indigo blue and violet. The
darkest shade in Sweet Peas. Oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c.

MIXTURES

EARLY PLOWERING OR CHRISTMAS
VARIETIES MIXED

Owing to short supply, we are able to offer but a few named varieties of these early flowering types but we have a number of colors including all the distinct shades which we are able to offer in a mixture. This is an especially attractive mixture and will give the plants a fine assortment of colors very early and saveral weeks. in a mixture. This is an especially attractive mixture and will give the planter a fine assortment of colors very early and several weeks before the other types are in bloom.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 75c.

MORSE'S SUPERB SPENCER MIXED

ALL WAVED OR SPENCER VARIETIES

This mixture is made up from our carefully prepared formula and it contains practically all of the true Spencer varieties introduced to date, and it contains only the large Spencer types and all in well balanced, finely proportioned colors.

We do not think it possible for any one in the world to make up a better mixture of Sweet Peas than Morse's Superb Mixed.

Price per packet, 10c; oz. 35c; ¼ 1b. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.50.

BEST LARGE FLOWERING MIXED

ALL GRANDIFLORAS AND ECKFORD VARIETIES

This is the best possible mixture that can be made from existing grandiflora or Eckford varieties. The colors are well proportioned, and the amount of each variety is determined by a well-studied and carefully arranged formula which has been tested and improved upon from time to time for many years. All the newer and best grandiflora varieties are in this mixture.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

CUPID SWEET PEAS

These are low-growing or dwarf sweet peas, about one foot high and spreading to about two feet in diameter. The foliage is dark green and the stems are short, usually from three to six inches long. The blossoms, however, are larger than those of the tall va-

White. Pure White. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.50. Pink. Color of Earliest of All. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.50.

Countess of Radnor. Lavender. Crop failed.

Prima Donna. Pink. Crop failed.

Mixture of all varieties, including those listed and many more besides. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF BEST SWEET PEAS

"EXTRAORDINARY SPENCER COLLECTION" (Morse's) of 30 superb giant wavy Sweet Peas -the very finest and best there are. This collection includes all colors and tints, and our three novelties of this year. Mailed free for \$2.50.

America Spencer: White striped red. Apple Blossom Spencer: Rose and primrose.

Asta Ohn: Pinkish lavender. Blanche Ferry Spencer: Bicolor.

Captain of the Blues Spencer: Purple. Cherry Ripe: Pure Cerise or cherry red.

new shade. Constance Oliver: Deep cream pink. Countess Spencer: Best pure bright

Dainty Spencer: White, pink edge.

Duplex Spencer: New giant pink. Ethel Roosevelt: Cream lightly striped. Flora Norton Spencer: Clear blue. Florence Morse Spencer: Light pink. Gaiety Spencer: Rose striped white. George Herbert: Rose carmine. Helen Lewis: Orange pink,

King Edward Spencer: Bright red. Margaret Madison: Azure blue. Masterpiece: Lavender.

Mrs. Hugh Dickson: Cream pink. Othello Spencer: Maroon.

Pearl Gray Spencer.

Primrose Spencer: Best primrose. Senator Spencer: Chocolate stripes.

Tennant Spencer: Purplish mauve. White Spencer: Best white. W. T. Hutchins: Cream pink.

Margaret Atlee: Our leading novelty, rose salmon on cream. See novelty list for description.

Duplex Cream: Giant cream.

"MORSE'S \$1.00 SPENCER COLLECTION." Truly here is value for you: 15 full size packets of our most distinct and best fine wave-edge Sweet Peas, worth \$1.65. We want every Sweet Pea lover to have a good assortment of Morse's Best Sweet Peas for his own pleasure. Here it is, price \$1.00,

Martha Washington: White and pink.

mailed free. White Spencer: The best white. King Edward Spencer: Bright red. Mrs. C. W. Breadmore: Cream, edged rose-pink.

Othello Spencer: Dark maroon. Asta Ohn: Best pinkish lavender. Florence Morse Spencer: Light pink. George Herbert: Rose carmine. Helen Lewis: Best orange pink. Mrs. Hugh Dickson: Cream pink. Primrose Spencer: Best primrose.

Margaret Madison: Azure blue. Dainty Spencer: White, edged rose. Countess Spencer: Best pink. W. T. Hutchins: Blush and cream. Vermilion Brilliant: Best scarlet.

"BEST SEVEN SPENCER COLLECTION." Seven distinct fine sorts of Sweet Peas for 50c.

Othello Spencer: Deep maroon. Florence Morse Spencer: Light pink. Asta Ohn: Best pinkish lavender.

Helen Lewis: Best orange pink. White Spencer: Best white.

King Edward Spencer: Bright red. Mrs. C. W. Breadmore: Creamy buff and pink.

INCOMPARABLE 25c COLLECTION.

Dorothy Eckford: Large white. Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon: Primrose. King Edward VII: Bright red.

Seven of the best Grandiflora Sweet Peas. Well known favorites.

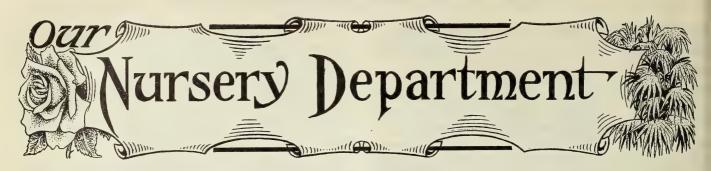
Lady Grisel Hamilton: Lavender. Lovely: Blush pink.

Miss Willmott: Orange pink Prima Donna: Fine pink.



On our Seed Farms every field is most carefully gone over several times, and all off types and Peas of wrong colors are pulled out. This is called "Rogueing."

The picture shows men at this work.



The few following remarks should be read before making up order.
We have recently purchased a tract of land at Haywards, Alameda County, where we are growing our nursery stock. This is acknowledged to be one of the choicest sections in the State for such purposes. The climate is ideal and the soil of the richest. All of our nursery stock is grown without irrigation.

OUR GREENHOUSES AND SALESYARD are situated on GLEN AVENUE, off Piedmont Avenue, OAKLAND, CAL. Visitors from San Francisco can reach there by taking the new Key Route Ferry (foot of Market Street) to PIEDMONT STATION; those from Oakland, by taking the Piedmont Avenue cars on Broadway to Glen Avenue. NURSERY TELEPHONE, PIEDMONT 30.

Customers will please remember that when our busy season commences we are rushed with orders, and it may be a few days before their orders receive attention; but they may rest assured that there will be no unnecessary delay in shipping. Prices quoted herein are f. o. b. cars, Nurseries, and cancel all previous quotations.

PACKING. Sufficient money should be added to remittance to cover cost of boxing, etc. Say ten per cent of purchase.

GUARANTEE. We do not guarantee stock to live, nor will we replace free of cost that which dies or fails to grow; nor can we, in view of the various incidents that the stock is subject to, as the success or failure depends largely on climatic conditions, manner of planting, after care, etc. We do guarantee, however, that our stock will be in a good, live and healthy condition upon departure from our nurseries.

SUBSTITUTION. Where particular varieties are ordered, and particular ages and sizes of trees, kinds of stock, etc., it should be stated whether and to what extent substitution will be allowed in case the order cannot be filled to the letter. Where no instructions in this respect accompany the order, we shall feel at liberty to substitute other varieties as nearly similar as possible. If the selection of varieties is left entirely to us, we shall endeavor to send only such sorts as are acknowledged to give general satisfaction.

AS USUAL, 5 will be furnished at 10 rates; 50 at 100 rates; 500 at 1,000 rates.

CLAIMS. Should any errors occur we desire to be informed upon receipt of goods, in order that we may rectify them without delay. All claims must be filed within ten days after the arrival of the shipments.

C. C. MORSE & CO. give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, purity, productiveness, or any other matter of any seeds, plants or trees, they send out and will be in no way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms they are at once to be returned.

December, January, February, and March are the best months, but should the season be favorable, and with a little extra care, you can still plant during the early part of April. The plants sent during those months are what we call dormant two-year-old plants, and average from one and a half to two and a half feet in height, and are taken up without soil around the roots, and are packed in damp moss. Should the purchaser be unable to plant them immediately, they will take no harm to remain in the packing for a few days, or they can be opened up and 'heeled' in the ground until ready to set out. The bushes sent out are already pruned. Our plants are budded on the Baltimore Belle and Manetti stocks; by so doing we can get a strong root for the rose; our 'tstocks' are always disbudded, but it sometimes happens that a sucker may grow from the root; planters should be careful to keep all suckers (if any), from BELOW the bud, cut away, otherwise the stock outgrows the rosebud itself.

Rose give the best results when planted in good heavy soil, to which may be added some good old stable manure, but remember that it ought to be well decayed. Under no circumstances use FRESH or new manure. After the hole is about three-quarters filled with soil, give some water to settle the earth around the roots; then put the remaining soil into the hole. This is usually enough water to give during the winter, provided we have not a long, dry period; in that case the plants should get another watering at regular intervals. They will commence to bloom the first season after planting, in May and June, and if properly treated will give an abundance of flowers the first season. After the blooms are past, we advise you to cut the old flowers off; this treatment induces them to make new growth, from which you will obtain your next crop. To aid them at that time, keep them freely watered, and by so doing you can have flowers away into December.

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ROSES IN POTS

We grow the leading varieties of roses in pots, so that if any of our customers are unable to get their planting done during the dor mant months, they can purchase potted plants that can be set out at any time.

PRUNING

A few remarks on this important point are now necessary. This should be done during the months of January and February; at that time the bushes are in a dormant condition. The "Teas." or Ever-blooming Varieties, require to be more severely pruned than any other sort, as they are the strongest growers. Cut back to about six or seven inches from the old wood, thinning out all weak wood and leaving about five or six shoots, according to size of plant; apply the same method that the orchardist does to his fruit trees, and you will be about right. The idea is not to leave too much wood on the plant. If you follow this method you will have large roses with long stems. If you fail in pruning and thinning out, you will have a plethora of small blooms.

THE HYBRID TEAS should have almost as much pruning done to them as the TEAS.

HYBRID PERPETUAL sorts, not being such strong growers nor making so much wood as the preceding, do not require so much pruning.

NOISETTE or CHAMPNEY varieties, being all climbers, and strong, rampant growers, are not usually pruned as their duties are to cover certain objects. They should, however, be periodically thinned out.

BOURBON sorts should be pruned according to the growth they have made.

MOSS ROSES require little pruning, as they usually make only a few shoots in a season. Just cut back to keep the plants in shape,

SOIL AND POSITION

There are few places in the garden where the rose will not succeed. Our California soil is pre-eminently adapted for the health of the rose, and sunlight we have to our heart's content; only, bear in mind, do not plant your roses in a too shady place, and if your soil is sandy, add a quantity of loam and old manure to enrich it, as the rose delights in good heavy rich soil.

WATERING

The best way to do this is to dig a ditch around your bushes and run the water into it, afterward putting back the dry soil; by this means the water gets to the roots. Avoid surface watering, which in a great many cases never reaches the roots, and only tends to bake and harden the surface. Better one GOOD WATERING, once a week than SPRINKLING them every day. Occasionally spray them overhead at night to keep the foliage free from dust. You can also give them during the Summer months liquid cow manure every two or three weeks.

DISEASES

You must not expect in the genial climate of California to have your roses entirely free from insects, but they are few and easily controlled.

controlled.

APHIS, or GREEN FLY, is a small green louse, appearing on the young, tender shoots and buds. They are very prolific in breeding. Through their tender beak they suck the juices of the plants, always working at the tender shoots, and will in a short time, if unmolested, destroy the vigor and vitality of any plant they infest. REMEDIES: Tobacco in any form is fatal to them; sprinkle powdered tobacco on the bushes. The best time to do this is in the morning when there is moisture on the foliage; or soak tobacco stems in water till it is about the color of weak tea and apply with a syringe. When possible, fumigate the plants with tobacco smoke. Another remedy: One pound Quassia (Quassia Armara) Chips, which can be obtained at any drug store, and put in four gallons of water and boil for ten minutes; after straining off the chips, add one pound soft soap.

MILDEW. When your plants become covered with a whit-

This solution is to be applied with a syringe.

MILDEW. When your plants become covered with a whitish-looking mould or dust, the disease is Mildew. Unless a very severe attack, it will probably not kill them, but retard their growth. It is caused by sudden atmospheric changes, and is generally worse in the Spring when the nights are cold and the days are warm. Some varieties are more susceptible to this than others. The best plant is NOT to wait until the disease appears, but "taking time by the forelock," dust them in the morning with powdered sulphur, or if the disease has made its appearance, syringe with a solution of sulphide of potassium. sulphide of potassium.

ROSE SLUG. About the size of the common house fly, and comes from the ground in early Spring. The best remedies are powdered white hellebore or a solution of whale oil

ROSE BUG. Is of a grayish color, and about half an inch in length. It appears suddenly in early Spring, and feeds upon the opening buds and flowers, which it prefers to the foliage, and seems to be more fond of white and light colored flowers than of the darker colored ones. The best and really only cure is handpicking.

From the above, it will be noticed that the enemies of the rose are few, and really the only one which is at all troublesome is the Green Fly.

VARIETIES OF ROSES

We do not intend to enumerate all known sorts of the rosarian but confine our remarks to such sorts as succeed best in California. First of all come the TEAS, or EVER-BLOOMING. These are more generally planted in this State than any other variety for the reason that they are the most profuse and longest bloomers. If properly treated, flowers can be had from them nine months in the year. The first crop appears in April, May, and part of June.

The "Tea" is perfectly at home in this State, and this is the only State in the Union, perhaps, where they can remain out all Winter without any protection. The TEAS have all very dainty, delicately beautiful flowers, mostly with long pointed buds. A typical variety is The Bride.

HYBRID TEAS are produced from crossing TEAS with Hybrid PERPETUALS, and partake of the rich fragrance of the Hybrids and the florification of the Teas. "La France," known to everyone, is in this class. They are a most desirable type.

HYBRID PERPETUAL sorts produce much larger and more durable flowers than either of the two preceding kinds, and have a strong, rich fragrance, which to our thinking, is the making of a rose. Take the American Beauty (known to all), for instance, what other can compare with it in its rich penetrating oder?

THE NOISETTE or CHAMPNEY varieties are all strong, rampant growers, and are used as climbers, and include such sorts as the old favorite "Marechal Niel," so universally esteemed, "Cloth of Gold," and "William Allen Richardson."

POLYANTHA, or BABY ROSES. The blossoms of these are small miniature blooms, appearing in clusters and are great favorites. They are free bloomers. A typical variety is the Cecile Bruner.

Besides the above varieties, we have the BOURBON, BANKSIA, MOSS, JAPAN, and SWEETBRIARS.



One of our Field-Grown Roses—some varieties make more of a shrubby growth—the lines indicate where it should be pruned back to. The small pot rose shows the size of those plants offered by Eastern houses at a cheaper price than ours.

FORMS OF ROSES

In California there are only two forms of roses grown—the BUSH and TREE (or STANDARD ROSE). The former is (as the name indicates) of bush form, branching from the ground; the Tree Rose is budded on a stem of the wild rose, 3½ feet from the ground. Standard roses are usually preferred for planting on the lawn, as they are out of the way of the lawn-mower for one reason, and are certainly more showy for such places than the Bush Rose. To grow a Standard to salable size usually takes three years; hence the difference in price.

Do not confound our field-grown two-year-old plants with those offered by many eastern houses at a cheap rate. These are small pot-grown plants raised in greenhouses and consequently do not begin to compare with the outside grown.

ABBREVIATIONS IN POLLOWING LIST.
T. for Teas. H. T. for Hybrid Teas. P. for Polyantha, or Baby Roses. H. P. for Hybrid Perpetuals. N. for Noisette, or Champney. B. for Bourbon.

BEST ROSES OF RECENT INTRODUCTION

ALBERT DURAND

A grand tea rose of recent introduction; color copperycarmine, shaded flesh, changing later in the season to canary yellow with brilliant carmine center; a large, full and double rose, produces its flowers in great luxuriance. **Field** grown plants, 35c each.

ALICE GRAHAME

Ivory-white, tinted salmon; a most beautiful delicate shade; buds long and pointed and very double. A rich variety. **Field grown plants, 35c each.**

BEN CANT

This rose was awarded a Gold Medal by the English National Rose Society, thus stamping it as a variety of remarkable beauty. The color is deep clear crimson, with darker shadings; of exquisite fragrance; very free in bloom and a strong, thrifty grower. Two-year-old, strong field grown plants, 50c each.

BETTY

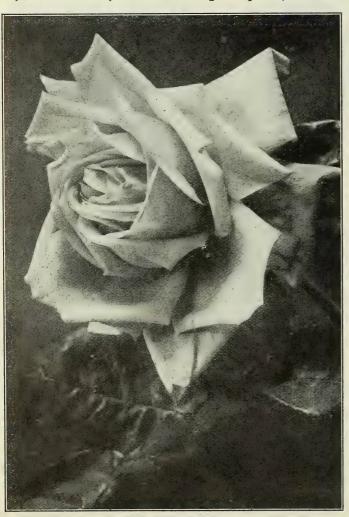
The coloring of this rose is wonderfully beautiful—ruddy gold overspread with golden yellow; flowers large, fairly double, fine form; buds very long and pointed and very large petals; deliciously perfumed. Strong field grown plants, 50c each.

CHARLES J. GRAHAME

A grand Hybrid Tea rose of great beauty; color, dazzling orange-scarlet; of large, splendid form, and of floriferous habit; perfume exquisite. Strong two-year-old plants, 50c each.

COUNTESS OF DERBY

Salmon at center, outer petals rose, passing to flesh-veined peach as the flower expands; blooms very large and of perfect form. Hybrid Tea. **Field grown plants, 50c each.**



The Lyon Rose

COUNTESS OF GOSFORD

Perhaps this is one of the loveliest pink roses that was ever introduced. We cannot adequately describe this sort—words would fall far short. It is a Hybrid Tea, producing its flowers most freely. The buds are long, pointed, and sweetly fragrant. A Gold Medal rose. Field grown plants, 50c each.

CRIMSON CROWN

Glowing dark crimson, with zones of lemon-white at base of petals; wonderfully free flowering, each shoot terminating with clusters of from six to nine blooms. 35c each.

DEAN HOLE

Silvery carmine, shaded salmon; very large full flowers, with high center; a Hybrid Tea, which was awarded a Gold Medal by the English Rose Society. Field grown plants, 50c each.

DOROTHY PERKINS

Flowers borne in large clusters, very double, with pretty crinkled petals; clear shell-pink; a most profuse bloomer; a grand climbing variety and very attractive. 35c each.

DR. CAMPBELL HALL

Coral rose, suffused white, base of petals yellow; a charming rose of a color too difficult to describe. The flowers are large, full, and perfectly formed; very floriferous; a grand rose. A Hybrid Tea. Field grown plants, 50c each.

DUCHESS OF PORTLAND

Pale sulphur-yellow outer petals tinged pink; very large buds and flowers; a variety of great excellency (H. T.) Field grown plants, 75c each.

FLORENCE PEMBERTON

Creamy white shaded rose, petals bordered rose salmon, flowers large, very full and beautifully formed; a most constant bloomer. (H. T.) **Field grown plants, 50c each.**

GENERAL McARTHUR

Dazzling crimson scarlet; buds of ideal shape and exquisite perfume; foliage beautiful; plant a strong, thrifty grower. Hybrid Tea. **Field grown plants, 50c each.**

HARRY KIRK

Deep sulphur-yellow, changing to a lighter shade of yellow at the edges of the petals; the flowers are large, full and perfectly formed, the buds are elegant in shade and color. (H. T.) Field grown plants, 75c each.

HIS MAJESTY

One of the latest Gold Medal tea roses, of exceptional merit; the color is a rich dark crimson, shaded deep vermilion, beautiful in bud and when full blown. The fragrance emitted from this rose is one of its great merits. It is a continuous bloomer, every shoot producing a flower. The Plant is a strong and vigorous and healthy grower. Strong budded, 75c each.

HONORABLE INA BINGHAM

A matchless pink of most charming tone, beautifully veined; the flowers are semi-double, thus adding greatly to its beauty; petals very large; a most distinct and unique sort. Strong two-year-old plants, 50c each.

HUGH DICKSON

Introduced in 1904, and while not what we would call a novelty, it is of such excellent character that we list it prominently. The color is brilliant velvety crimson, shaded scarlet, most lovely; bud long and pointed; flower when open very double; a most floriferous sort, continuing so for a long period; the fragrance is what we like in this rose, a fragrance that is entrancing. The habit of this sort is exceedingly strong, thrifty and healthy. It is most excellent for pillar or porch. Another Gold Medal rose, and one we have tried out for three seasons. Strong field grown plants, 50c each.

J. B. CLARK

An intense deep scarlet rose, shaded blackish-crimson; of exquisite fragrance, and of very large size; a most prolific bearer; plant a strong, vigorous grower, with beautiful foliage. This rose wherever exhibited has attracted great admiration. It was awarded a Gold Medal. Strong two-year-old field grown plants, 50c each.

KATE MOULTON

This certainly is a rose that will meet with favor with all rose lovers. It is a beautiful clear pink; the edges (which are prettily recurved) are tipped white, this combination being rarely seen in a rose. The buds are long and pointed; the plant is strong and healthy and a profuse bloomer. Field grown plants, 75c each.

LADY ASHTOWN

Very pale rose, shading to yellow, at base of petals; buds large, full and pointed; a most excellent hybrid tea. Field grown, 50c each.

LADY BATTERSEA (Red Niphetos)

Beautiful cherry-crimson; buds long and pointed, produced in great luxuriance; habit of plant faultless. Hybrid Tea. Strong two-year-old plants, 50c each.

LADY ROBERTS

Rich apricot, base of petals coppery-red, edges of petals shaded orange, buds long and pointed. A most beautiful tea rose, that all rose lovers should have in their collection, as it is of most undoubted excellence. Was awarded a Gold Medal, this fact alone branding it as something out of the ordinary. We have flowered it at our Haywards place the last two seasons and considered it one of the best of the novelties. Strong field grown plants, 75c each.

LADY ROSSMORE

Deep crimson, extremely free in bloom; plant of strong and vigorous habit. (H. T.) Field grown plants, 50c each.

LADY WENLOCK

Coppery-yellow; apricot center, beautifully blended; buds long and pointed, open flowers very double; a most prolific and continuous bloomer. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower. Strong two-year-old field grown plants, 75c each.

LYON ROSE

Four years ago we introduced this wondrously beautiful rose; we predicted a great future for this variety, and our prediction has truly come to pass. Everyone who has seen the Lyon Rose is delighted with it.

the Lyon Rose is delighted with it.

The Lyon is a Hybrid Tea, thus insuring great blooming qualities. We know of no other variety that will produce such a continuous crop of flowers. It was raised by Pernet-Ducher Company, and was awarded a Gold Medal at Lyons, France, in 1907. This triumph alone brands it of greatest merit. One of the judges who awarded the gold medal to this rose says "I have no hesitation in recommending it as the most wonderful color yet obtained among roses. This may be best compared to the intense flame color seen in a glowing coke furnace."

A more detailed description is as follows: Shrimp pink at edges of petals, center of flower intense coral red, shaded chrome yellow. Flowers are large, fairly full, with smooth petals and long pointed buds.

Field grown, budded plants, \$1.00 each.

MELODY

A most charming hybrid tea rose, which has attracted the attention of all who have been fortunate enough to see it It is a most floriferous bloomer, continuing for a very long period. The blooms are carried on erect stems, and are of good size; the buds are of beautiful formation, long and pointed; color, pure deep saffron yellow, with primrose edges. The perfume from this rose is delightfully sweet, just like that of a wild rose.

The Melody is now one of the leading varieties that Eastern florists use for forcing. We offer strong budded plants at \$1.50 each. (See 4th page of cover for colored plate.)

MRS. ALFRED TATE

Coppery-red, shaded fawn, buds long and perfectly formed with grand petals; very floriferous and sweetly scented. One of the most recent introductions. (H. T.) Field grown plants, \$1.00 each.

MRS. COCKER

Soft pink; the flowers are large and full, and of great substance; fragrance deliciously sweet. A Gold Medal rose, belonging to the hybrid perpetual type. Field grown plants,



Hugh Dickson

MRS. EDWARD MAWLEY

Bright carmine, shaded salmon; a superb variety; a chaste and perfectly formed flower of marvelous beauty. The blooms are very large, of great substance, beautifully formed, with highly pointed center, from which the petals reflex; very sweetly scented and very floriferous. A Gold Medal rose. Strong field grown plants, 35c each.

MRS. G. W. KERSHAW

Glowing deep rose-pink; large, full, and of perfect form; a wonderful producer of most exquisite flowers. A superb and distinct variety. Strong two-year-old plants, 50c each.

MRS. DAVID McKEE

Creamy yellow; large. Very free bloomer; a most highly commendable sort. Awarded a Gold Medal. Hybrid Tea. Field grown plants, 500 each.

MRS. MYLES KENNEDY

Delicate silvery white shaded buff, while the center is pink, the reverse of the petals is a slightly deeper shade of pink. It is a wonderful bearer, producing great quantities of perfect blooms; the stems are strong, holding the flowers well up; the plant is of beautiful growth, having very handsome foliage; a truly grand acquisition. A Gold Medal rose. Strong field grown plants, 50c each.

MRS. PETER BLAIR

Lemon chrome, with golden yellow center; medium sized flowers, lovely shape, deliciously fragrant and extremely floriferous. Awarded a Gold Medal. Of very recent introduction. Field grown plants, 75c each.

MY MARYLAND

The color is a most pleasing pink, somewhat of the same shade that can be seen in the "Lyon." The color is, however, not blended with any other shade, but solid. The flowers appear continuously, and are deliciously fragrant. The plant is of exceptionally strong habit; a Hybrid Tea. This rose will undoubtedly please all those who may order. 35c

OTTO VON BISMARCK

Clear silvery pink, buds and full blown flowers are beautiful; a continuous bloomer, sweetly scented. (H. T.) Field grown plants, 50c each.

SINGLE PINK CHEROKEE

A grand novelty, the single white Cherokee is a very well known variety, loved by all; in this new sort we have the same identical thing, excepting the color, which is a beautiful clear pink. A novelty that we can very highly recommend. Strong field grown, 50c each.

WHITE KILLARNEY

A pure white sport of the favorite pink Rose of Killarney. Very floriferous, of exceedingly strong growth and of a very healthy habit. A variety we can recommend. Strong budded plants, 50c each.

WM. SHAEN

Purest pink, petals shellshaped, four to five inches long; a glorious Hybrid Tea of immense size, perfect form and substance. Field grown plants, 35c each.

ROSES—CHOICE ASSORTMENT

In this list will be found nothing but the very best older sorts.

These roses that we offer are thrifty, well-developed field grown plants, and are shipped in a dormant condition from about December 15th to about April 1st.

Price, two-year-old plants, 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

We will not supply less than six of a kind at dozen rates; if one of a sort is ordered single rates will be charged.

ADMIRAL DEWEY (H. T.)—Delicate light blush, a sport from Caroline Testout with large well formed flowers.
AGRIPPINA (Bengal)—Rich crimson, flowers borne in great

profusion.

AMAZONE (Tea)—Clear yellow, buds long and pointed; a continuous bloomer; a lovely variety.

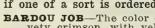
AMERICAN BEAUTY (H. P.)—Large, globular, deep pink, shaded carmine, delicious odor; a fine variety for forcing.

ANNA DE DIESBACH (H. P.)—Brilliant pink. Long-pointed buds and large compact flowers.

ARD'S PILLAR (H. P.)—Crimson shaded maroon, flowers large, foliage handsome, a great acquisition to climbing sorts.

AUGUSTINE GUINOISSEAU (White La France) (H. T.)—
This beautiful variety with flowers of pure white, shading to a center of light rose, is a great favorite on account of its great freedom of bloom, fragrance, and large flowers. A vigorous grower, producing a great number of buds and flowers.

BANKSIA (White and Yellow)—These are the well-known thornless climbing roses. The flowers are small, but bloom in great profusion in Spring and early Summer.



BARDOU JOB—The color of this beautiful rose is rich velvety crimson, with yellow stamens. A grand climber.

BARONESS ROTHSCHILD (H. P.)-Very large flowers, shell pink, exquisite shape and fragrance.

BARON DE BONSTETTEN (H. P.)—Splendid large flowers; very double and full; color a rich dark red, passing to a velvety maroon. Highly scented and very beautiful.

BEAUTE INCONSTANT (T.)—Flowers are pink, blotched, white; a constant and profuse bloomer. Much admired.

BEAUTY OF GLAZENWOOD—Variously known as San Rafael Rose, Hester, Fortune Yellow, and erroneously named Gold of Ophir in Southern California. (Banksia)—A combination of copper, carmine, and salmon-yellow. A strong fast climber. This is the rose that blooms so bounteously in Springtime and which is admired wherever seen.

BELLE SIEBRECHT (H. T.)—A superb pink rose of recent introduction. The buds are long and pointed, and when half-blown the petals reflex in a graceful manner. The flowers have great substance and the petals are of heavy texture.

BLACK PRINCE (H. P.)—Crimson, shaded with purple, medium size. A good dark rose.

BLANCHE MORREAU (Moss)—A pure white moss rose.

BON SILENE (T.)—Buds of beautiful form; an unusually free bloomer; color, deep rose-shaded carmine.

BRIDE—An everblooming pure white Tea Rose, of large size and most perfect form. The buds are pointed, and the ends of the petals are slightly recurved. It is a very free-blooming variety, and has a most delicious tea fragrance. One of the best white roses.

BRIDESMAID—In this exquisite Tea Rose we have an improved Catherine Mermet, from which it is a sport. Mermet, on account of its exquisite shape, large, solid, firm buds, with long stiff stems, has long been considered one of the best cut-flower varieties. Bridesmaid at all seasons is a clear, delicate pink, in all respects a counterpart of Mermet, with large, handsome, pointed buds on long stiff stems.

CAMOENS (H. T.)—Dainty shade of China rose suffused with pale yellow, a continuous bloomer.

CAPTAIN CHRISTY (H. P.)—Of delicate flesh color, rosy center; flowers extra large, double; full, and sweetly scented.

CAROLINE TESTOUT—A grand perpetual blooming Hybrid Tea of La France type, but much larger and of better color, being a bright, clear, delicate pink, retaining its color at all seasons.

THERINE MERMET (T.)—Glistening pink, center shaded fawn and amber; buds and flowers very double, long and pointed. A most exquisite variety. CATHERINE MERMET

CECILE BRUNER (P.)—A charming "Baby" variety of sweet, delicate fragrance. Color, salmon-pink, with deep salmon center.

CHEROKEE (Double White) -A rampant climber.

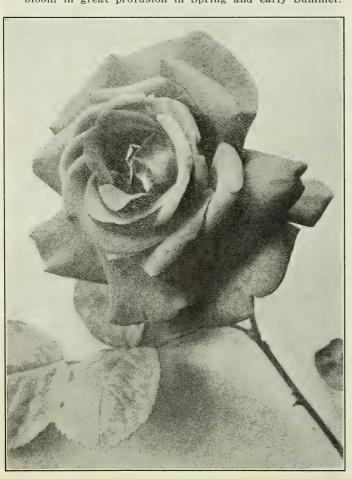
CHEROKEE (Single)—One of the finest pillar roses in cultivation; large, clear white, single flowers, full of bright yellow stamens, which give it a most unique appearance; foliage dark, rich green. A most vigorous grower.

CHESHUNT HYBRID (H. T.)—Cherry carmine; large and full flowers of strong habit; constantly in bloom; good

pillar rose.

CLARA WATSON (H. T.)-Salmon, tinged pink; beautiful buds; a most lovely rose.

CLIMBING BRIDESMAID—We have a climbing sort of the well-known favorite Bridesmaid to offer, which should be good news to those who are looking for sterling new introductions. The color is a rich shade of velvety pink; the buds are exquisite and the full blown roses equally so, being large and full, the stems are long and stiff, thus making it a valuable rose for cutting purposes. The plant is a strong climber.



General McArthur

CLIMBING CAPTAIN CHRISTY (H. P.)—Those who know the old bush form of Captain Christy will be pleased to learn that we now have a climbing variety of this old favorite; delicate flesh color.

climbing caroline testout—In this beautiful new introduction we have an exact counterpart in color and shape of that old favorite bush rose, Caroline Testout. To those who may be unfamiliar with that variety, we would say that the color is a beautiful, glistening pink; the blooms are large and produce most freely for a long period; the growth is rapid, and it very quickly assumes large proportions, so that those wishing a desirable, free, quick-growing pink rose can make no mistake in ordering the Climbing Caroline Testout.

CLIMBING CECILE BRUNER—It will no doubt come as a surprise, a pleasant surprise, to the lover of the rose, to learn that there is at last introduced a climbing sort of this ever popular "Baby" Rose. In its bush form Mademoiselle Cecile Bruner is well known; the blooms come in clusters and bloom for a long period; color, beautiful salmon-pink, with a much deeper shade of same color in center. Habit of growth very strong and vigorous.

CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS (T.)—Large creamy-white, shell like petals of great substance; large, full and very fragrant.

CLIMBING KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA (T.)—Buds long and pointed; pure white, of superb substance and texture; a strong and rapid grower.

CLIMBING LA FRANCE—A strong climbing sort of the old favorite La France.

CLIMBING PAPA GONTIER—The bush form of this old favorite red Tea Rose is known to all, so that a climbing sort of it will be a welcome acquisition to the list of roses. The buds are long and pointed and of deepred color. It is a free and continuous bloomer, like its parent. Habit of growth, strong and free.

CLIMBING PERLE DES JARDINS (T).—Habit of growth is vigorous, young plants often sending up shoots six to eight feet in one season, with rich, glossy foliage, and bright red stems. The flowers are produced in profusion and are deep canary-yellow.

CLIMBING SAFRANO. See Reve d'Or.

CLIMBING SOUVENIR DE MALMAISON (B.)—Light rosy salmon; cup shaped; very double.

CLIMBING SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON (H. P.)—Deep red, very large; flowers appear in great luxuriance; a very strong, rapid climber.

CLIO (**H. P.**)—A really grand rose; on the order of Baroness Rothschild; recommended by expert growers as the finest rose of this type; strong, vigorous grower; handsome foliage; flowers are flesh color, shaded in the center with rosy pink; large, of fine globular form; freely produced.

CLOTH OF GOLD (N.)—Deep yellow center, with sulphur colored edges. A good climber.

COMPTESSE RIZA DU PARC (T.)—Bronze rose; flowers of medium size; moderately full; sweetly perfumed.

COMPTESSE de FRIGNEUSE (T.)—A very beautiful rose; golden yellow; buds long and pointed.

CONRAD F. MEYER (H. T.)—Silvery rose; very fragrant; flowers produced very freely; an extremely strong grower; branches very thorny.

CORNELIA COOK (T.)—Beautiful creamy white; petals of strong texture; free and continuous bloomer.

COUP d'HEBE—Beautiful pink, cup shaped. A great favorite among rosarians.

CRESTED MOSS—Pale rose; buds beautifully crested; fragrance delicious.

CRIMSON RAMBLER (P.)—Of remarkably vigorous growth, making shoots from eight to ten feet in one season; flowers of brightest crimson, and produced in great pyramidal panicles, each having thirty to forty blooms.

DR. GRILL (T.)—Clear buff pink, passing to a clear rose and fawn, elegantly suffused with pale canary yellow. A most profuse and regular bloomer.

DUCHESS d'AUERSTADT (T.)—Coppery-red, blended pink, a very fine variety.

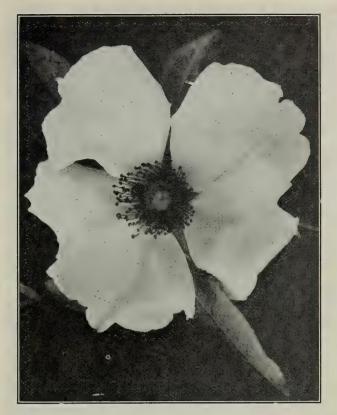
DUCHESS DE BRABANT (T.)—Soft rosy flesh, changing to deep rose color, edged with silver. Beautiful in bud, and highly fragrant.

ELIZE SAUVAGE (T.)—Pure snow white; buds and flowers elegant; one of the best whites.

EMPEROR OF MOROCCO (H. P.)—An intensely dark rose, of velvety maroon.

ENGLAND'S GLORY (H. P.)—Flesh colored, with pink, satiny center; large, full and well formed blooms.

FLORA McIVOR (Sweet Briar) -- White, tinged rose.



Single Pink Cherokee

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI (Hybrid Perpetual)—Pure snowwhite; very long buds; shell-shaped petals, opening to very large flowers; the finest white rose in cultivation; extra fine; superb.

This is the description of the introducer, Mr. Lambert of Germany, and we can fully corroborate all he has said about this magnificent rose. It has been well tested in this State during the last four years, and we send it out to the general public, knowing that it will give the best of satisfaction.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT (H. P.)—Rich velvety crimson, changing to scarlet crimson. A magnificent rose, beautiful in the bud or open. Is without a rival in fragrance and richness of color.

GLOIRE DE DIJON (T.)—A combination of rose, salmon and yellow; flowers very large and full. A good climber.

GLOIRE LYONNAISE (H. P.)—White, tinted yellow; large, very showy and nicely perfumed.

GLOIRE DE MARGOTTIN (H. P.)—The most beautiful of all red climbing roses. Specially adapted for planting against fences and houses. Can also be grown on a trellis. Color, a most brilliant shade of red; buds large, long and pointed.

G. NABONNAND (T.)—Pale flesh, shaded yellow; very distinct.

GOLDEN GATE (T.)—Canary-yellow flowers of delicate appearance; highly commendable in all respects.

GOLD OF OPHIR (T.)—Salmon-yellow, shaded with bright deep rose. Climber.

GRACE DARLING (T.)—Lovely pink tinted white; a great favorite.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ (Climbing Hermosa)—There has always been a scarcity of good, dark, climbing, everblooming red roses, so the rose-loving public will be pleased to learn that we have one to offer in Gruss an Teplitz. The color is velvety scarlet, and it is continually in bloom. It is of fast growth and very soon attains large size.

HELEN GOULD (T.)—Rosy pink, beautiful long pointed buds and immense full, perfectly double flowers.

HENRY MARTIN (Moss)—Deep rosy carmine.

HERMOSA CLIMBING. See Gruss an Teplitz.

IRISH ELEGANCE—Apricot, shaded coppery-bronze at base of petals, flowers single. This interesting rose is a new type sent out by Dickson & Co., Newtonards, Ireland (distributors of so many fine roses). A most unique variety. Should be in every collection. See "Maharajah" for another of this style.

JUBILEE (H. P.)—Glowing velvety crimson.

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA (T.)—Full flowers; magnificent in bud; stems long, and bearing large, strong canes, with handsome foliage. Flowers pure white. A

KETTEN FRERES (T.)—Very deep yellow, bears double flowers; foliage very beautiful; a grand sort.

LA FRANCE (H. T.)—Delicate silvery rose, shaded with cerise pink, often silvery pink, with peach shading; very large, very double, of superb form.

LA FRANCE OF '89 (H. T.)—Long elegant buds, approaching scarlet; of sweet fragrance; a long and continuous bloomer; very desirable in every way.

LA MARQUE (N.)—Pure white buds, open flowers tinged light canary-yellow; large and full. A grand climber.

LIBERTY (H. T.)—Color, pure crimson-scarlet, of most intense hue; velvety in texture, cup-shaped; of delicious fragrance; constant bloomer.

MABEL MORRISON (H. P.)-Pure snowy white, sometimes tinged with pink.

MAHARAJAH—Deep, velvety, crimson with prominent yellow anthers, large and beautiful. Another very interesting single rose.

MLLE. C. BRUNER. See Cecile Bruner.

MADAME ALFRED CARRIERE (N.)—Creamy white, free bloomer, a strong and vigorous climber. One of the best for exposed cold situations.

MADAME C. TESTOUT. See Caroline Testout.

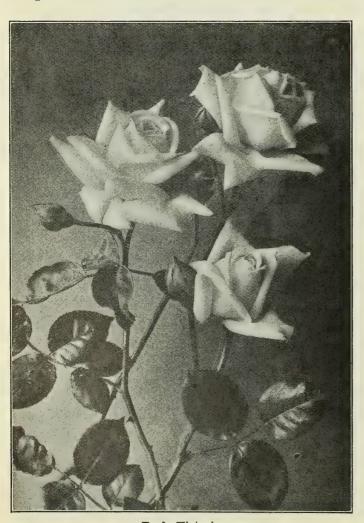
MADAME HOST (T.)—Canary yellow flowers produced for a long period in great profusion.

MADAME J. GROLEZ (H. T.)—Bright china pink; large, full, very floriferous and of beautiful fragrance.

MADAME LAMBARD (T.)—Bright rose, large fine form, good habit and very free in bloom.

MADAME CHEDANNE GUINOISSEAU (T.)—Beautiful shade of deep canary yellow; buds long and pointed; a most even justice sort. most exquisite sort.

MADAME CLAIRE JAUBERT (T.)—Creamy white, flowers produced in clusters in great wealth, a strong vigorous



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MAMAN COCHET PINK (T.)—Deep pink; buds long and pointed, of great substance; a continuous bloomer.

MAMAN COCHET WHITE (T.)—This American sport of the grand French variety, Maman Cochet, is one of the best whites of recent introduction; the buds are solid, long and pointed, faintly suffused with pink on outside petals, and borne very freely; foliage glossy; plant strong, vigorous and healthy; highly commended.

MAMAN COCHET YELLOW (T.)—A grand rose. Like all the other "Cochets" they are very large and continuously in blossom; a most desirable sort.

MAGNA CHARTA (H. P.)—Clear rosy-red, flushed with violet crimson; sweet fragrance. beautifully

MARCHIONESS OF LONDONDERRY (H. P.)-Ivory white: extremely large.

MAMIE (H. T.)—The color is exquisite; a delicate fawn with pink center; buds and flowers of perfect shape.

MARECHAL NIEL (N.)—Beautiful deep yellow, large, full, and of globular form. A good pillar rose.

MARIE VAN HOUTTE (T.)—White, slightly tinged with yellow; free grower and fine bloomer. Exquisite.

MARQUIS DE QUERHOENT (T.)—A beautiful high colored rose of the loveliest shades of yellow and copper; the buds are grand and the full flower equally so; it is a strong grower and good bloomer.

MARSHALL P. WILDER (H. P.)—Cherry-carmine; very vigorous in growth, strongly perfumed, one of our best dark red "perpetuals."

MILDRED GRANT (H. T.)—Ivory white, with a beautiful flush of pale peach bordering the petals; high pointed center, with unusually large and massive petals, opening to perfectly formed flowers of enormous size and substance.

MOSS ROSES. See Blanche Morreau, Henry Martin, Princess Adelaide.

MRS. CONWAY JONES (H. T.)-Creamy white flushed salmon pink.

MRS. GEORGE DICKSON (H. P.)—Delicate soft pink; sweetly perfumed.

MRS. JOHN LAING—Soft pink; large, and of fine form, produced on strong stems; exceedingly fragrant.

MRS. S. CRAWFORD (H. P.)—Deep rosy pink, outer petals

shaded lighter, a most lovely rose.

NIPHETOS (T.)—An elegant rose; buds long and pointed.

NIPHETOS CLIMBING-A climbing form of the preceding. PAUL'S EARLY BLUSH-Very large; salmon blush.

PAUL'S CARMINE PILLAR—Carmine; profuse in bloom.

PAPA GONTIER (T.)—A splendid variety valuable both for open ground and greenhouse culture; it is a strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer; the buds are extra large, finely formed and very beautiful; flowers double and full, and exceedingly sweet; color bright cherry red, passing to rich, glowing crimson, petals shaded with yellow; very striking and handsome.

PAUL NEYRON (H. P.)—Extra large and full; fine form; deep carmine color; very fragrant; free bloomer; an excellent rose.

PAUL VERDIER (H. P.)—Color very deep red; flowers large and of beautiful form.

PIERE NOTTING (H. P.)-Deep crimson, shaded violet, large and double.

PERLE DES JARDINS (T.)—Fine straw yellow; sometimes deep canary yellow; very large and full; and of the most perfect form; one of the finest roses grown; steps at once into fame as one of the finest yellow roses we have.

PERLE D'OR (P.)—Beautiful salmon tinted pink; flowers in clusters.

PINK RAMBLER—Flowers pink; produced in great profusion, small, a most vigorous climber.

PRESIDENT (T.)—Rosy crimson changing to carmine, a free and long bloomer.

PRINCE CAMILE DE ROHAN (H. P.)—Rich, dark, velvety crimson, changing to scarlet maroon; full, double and sweet.

PRINCESS ADELAIDE (Moss)—Deep blush.

QUEEN OF EDGELEY (H. P.) (Fink American Beauty)—Soft rich pink; buds long and pointed; sweetly perfumed.

RAINBOW (T.)—The color is a lovely shade of deep coral pink, beautifully striped and mottled in the most unique manner with intense glowing crimson, elegantly colored at center with rich golden amber; makes beautiful buds, and the flowers are extra large, very sweet, and of great depth and substance.

REINE MARIE HENRIETTA—An extra fine climbing variety; flowers large, full, and handsome; color, clear cherry red; a grand acquisition to climbing roses.

REINE OLGA DE WURTEMBERG—A lovely bright red; semi-double. A strong rampant grower.

REVE D'OR (Climbing Safrano—N.)—Deep yellow, sometimes coppery-yellow or rosy buff; large, full, and sweet. A beautiful climber.

RICHMOND (H. T.)-Very fine rich scarlet; good bloomer.

ROGER LAMBELIN (H. P.)—Very dark crimson, with narrow band of white around the petals; very unique; the petals are fringed irregularly.

BOSE OF KILLARNEY—This grand new rose was raised by Dickson & Company, of Belfast, Ireland, who have sent out so many sterling novelties in the rose line. The color is a glistening, soft silvery pink, the petals being waxy in appearance; the buds are long and pointed, slightly reflexed at the ends; the rose when full blown being fairly double. In continuity of bloom the Rose of Killarney is unsurpassed.

ROSSLYN-Delicate rosy flesh; a most unique and choice

SAFRANO (T.)—Buff apricot; a constant and profuse bloomer; one of the old favorites.

SHIRLEY HEBBARD (T.)—Deep saffron yellow; buds very

SOLEIL D'OR, "Golden Sun"—A grand new yellow rose. The color in bud is a rich chrome yellow tinted with coppery rose and on expanding becomes a beautiful orange-yellow, shaded with copper and red; a very free bloomer and one of the best and most distinct roses of recent introduction.

SOUVENIR DE M'LMAISON (B.)—Free blooming, of beautiful, clear, flesh color, edges blush:

SOUVENIR DE PRESIDENT CARNOT (H. T.)—A continuous and free bloomer, with most delightful fragrance; extremely large, both in bud and flower, retaining its full shape even when full blown; long and pointed; color delicate rosy flesh, shaded to pink.

SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON (H. T.)—One of our best red, everblooming, highly fragrant sorts. Flower is large and full; color beautiful shade of carmine crimson; strong grower.

SUNSET (T.)—Identical in every respect with Perle des Jardins, except that its color is that of rich saffron and orange.

E QUEEN (T.)—Pure glistening white; buds full and double; very free in bloom.

ULRICH BRUNER (H. P.)—This we consider one of the most satisfactory of all the Hybrids. Flowers large, full and sweet; color, bright, clear red; a profuse bloomer and hardy grower.

VISCOUNTESS FOLKESTONE (H. T.)—Flesh color, shaded to pink; an extremely beautiful everblooming rose.

WHITE LA FRANCE. See Augustine Guinoisseau.

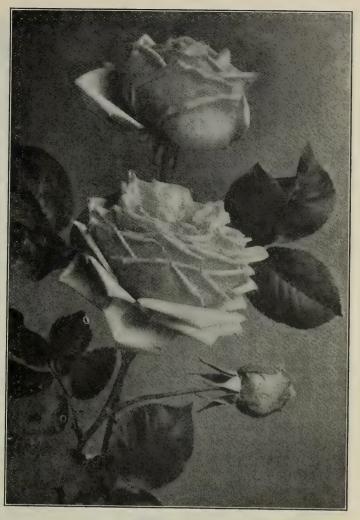
WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON (N.)—Fine orange yellow, apricot center; medium size; full, very showy and distinct. A beautiful climber.

STANDARD ROSES

We can supply the following roses in standard or tree form, that is, they are budded on single Stems, three to four feet from the ground. \$1.25 each, except where noted otherwise.

Alice Grahame, \$1.50. American Beauty. Anna De Diesbach. Augustine Guinoisseau. Baron De Bonstetten. Baroness Rothschild. Belle Siebrecht. Betty, \$1.50. Bon Silene. Bride. Bridesmaid. Captain Christy. Caroline Testout. Chas. J. Grahame. Countess of Gosford, \$1.50. Dr. Grill. Duchess d'Auerstadt. Emperor of Morocco. Frau Karl Druschki. General Jacqueminot. General McArthur. Gloire de Margottin. Grace Darling. Gruss An Teplitz. His Majesty, \$1.50. Hon. Ina Bingham, \$1.50. Hugh Dickson. J. B. Clark. Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Lady Battersea, \$1.50.

Lady Rossmore, \$1.50. Lady Wenlock, \$1.50. La France. La France of '89. La Marque. Lyon, \$1.50. Mad. J. Grolez. Mildred Grant, \$1.50. Mrs. G. W. Kershaw, \$1.50. Mrs. Geo. Dickson. Mrs. J. Laing. Papa Gontier. Perle des Jardins. Piere Notting. Pink Killarney. Pink Cochet. Pink Maman Cochet. Rainbow. Reve D'Or. Richmond. Safrano. Souvenir De Malmaison. Souvenir De President Carnot. Sunset. The Queen. W. A. Richard White Cochet. A. Richardson. White Killarney, \$1.50. Wm. Shaen, \$1.50. Yellow Cochet.



La France of '89

For convenience sake we give below a list of those Roses that Climb:

Ard's Gem. Banksia, White and Yellow. Bardou Job. Beauty of Glazenwood. Cherokee. Cheshunt Hybrid. Climbing Bridesmaid. Climbing Cecil Bruner. Captain Christy. C. Testout. Climbing Climbing Climbing Climbing Climbing Devoniensis. Climbing La France.
Climbing Papa Gontier.
Climbing Niphetos.
Climbing P. des Jardins.
Climbing Kaiserin.

Climbing Souv. de Wootton.
Cloth of Gold.
Crimson Rambler.
Dorothy Perkins.
Gloire de Margottin.
Gloire de Dijon.
Gruss an Teplitz.
Hugh Dickson (strong grower)
La Marque.
Mad. A. Carriere.
Marechal Niel.
Reine Marie Henrietta.
R. O. de Wurtemberg.
Reve d'Or.
W. A. Richardson. W. A. Richardson

ROSES ARRANGED IN COLOR CLASSES

WHITE

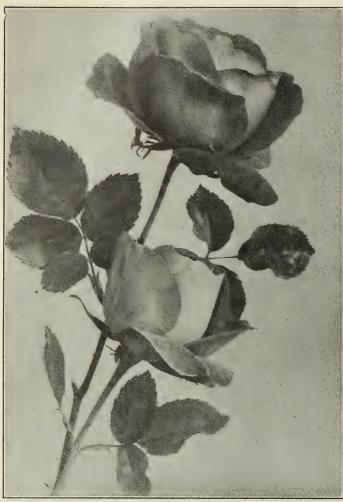
Alice Grahame.
Augustine Guinoisseau.
Bride.
Cherokee.
Cornelia Cook. Elize Sauvage.
Gloire Lyonnaise.
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.
La Marque.

Mabel Morrison. Madame A. Carriere.
Maman Cochet.
Marchioness of Londonderry.
Madame Claire Jaubert. Madaine Gaire saud Niphetos. The Queen. White Killarney. Frau Karl Druschki.

YELLOW

Amazone.
Cloth of Gold.
Duchess of Portland.
Gloire de Dijon.
Golden Gate.
Harry Kirk.
Ketten Freres.
Madame Chedanne GuinoisSeau Marechal Niel. Melody,
Mrs. Peter Blair.
Perle des Jardins.
Reve d'Or.
Safrano. Sunset. W. A. Richardson. Yellow Cochet.

seau. Madame Falcot.



Ulrich Bruner

BRONZE YELLOW

Beauty of Glazenwood. Claire Carnot. Comptesse Riza du Parc. Dr. Grill. Gold of Ophir. Marquis de Querhoent Soleil D'Or.

PINK AND ROSE SHADES

Anna de Diesbach. American Beauty. Belle Siebrecht. Bon Silene. Bridesmaid.
Camoens.
Caroline Testout.
Cath. Mermet.
Conrad F. Meyer.
Countess of Gosford.
Crested Moss.
Dorothy Perkins.
Dr. Campbell Hall.
Helen Gould.
Hon. I. Bingham.
Killarney.
La. France. Bridesmaid. La France.

Madame Lambard. Mad. J. Grolez. Magna Charta. Magna Charta.
Mamie.
Mrs. Conway Jones.
Mrs. E. Mawley.
Mrs. G. W. Kershaw
Mrs. John Laing.
Mrs. S. Crawford.
My Maryland.
Otto von Bismarck.
Paul Neyron.
Pink Cherokee.
Pink Maman Cochet.
Princess Adelaide.
President.
Wm. Shappe.

SCARLET CRIMSON AND SHADES

Agrippina. Bardou Job. Bardou Job.
Ben Cant.
Cheshunt Hybrid.
Crimson Crown.
Crimson Rambler.
General Jacqueminot.
General McArthur.
Gloire de Margottin.
Gruss an Teplitz.
Hugh Dickson.

J. B. Clark. John Hopper. Jubilee. Lady Battersea. Lady Rossmore. Lady Rossinore.
Liberty,
Papa Gontier.
Queen of Edgeley.
Reine Marie Henrietta.
Reine O. de Wurtemberg Ulrich Bruner.

VERY DARK REDS

Baron de Bonstetten. Black Prince. Emperor of Morocco.

Prince C. de Rohan. Maharajah. M. P. Wilder.

BLENDED AND VARIEGATED SORTS

Albert Durand. Beaute Inconstant. Countess of Derby.
Duchess d'Auerstadt.
Florence Pemberton.
G. Nabonnand.

Marie Van Houtte. Mildred Grant.
Mrs. Alfred Tate.
Mrs. M. Kennedy.
Rainbow.
Roger Lambelin.
The Lyon.

SALMON SHADES

Captain Christy. Lady Roberts. Lady Wenlock. Mlle. C. Bruner

Souvenir de President Car Viscountess Folkestone.

New Castle, Pa., Nov. 3, 1912.

After many days I want to tell you people how well pleased I am with the stock you sent me. They have bloomed almost continuously through the summer.

F. H. N.

Honolulu, H. T., April 9, 1912.

C. C. Morse & Co.

Your shipment of roses arrived in excellent shape. They are all growing. М. Н. Т.

Honolulu, H. T. April, 1912.

The roses I purchased from you last year have all done well, having bloomed nearly the whole year. The "La Marque" and "W. A. Richardson" have grown into immense bushes. bushes.
Mrs. J. L. McL.

Hilo, Hawaii. April 28, 1912.

C. C. Morse & Co.

The Strawberry plants arrived today in good condition, having strong roots and well packed.

Encante, Cal., March 19.

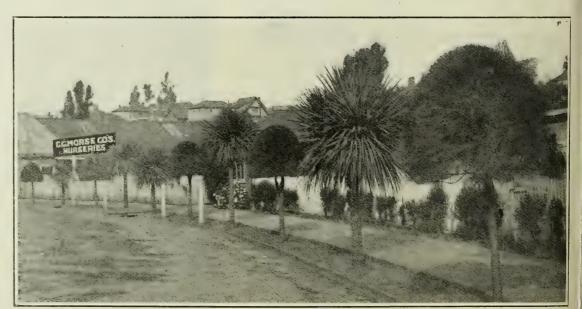
L. C.

C. C. Morse & Co.

The tree you sent me arrived in fine condition and is a splendid specimen, with which I am greatly pleased.

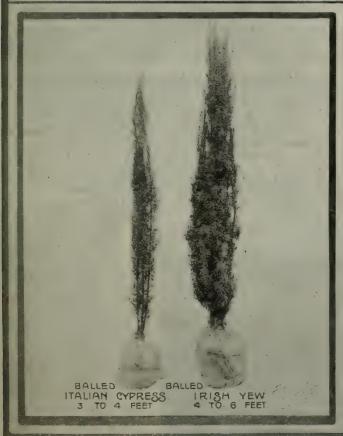
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Entrance to Our Glen Avenue, Oakland Nursery











HARDY EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS



Eucalyptus trees are very useful for windbreaks

ABIES-SPRUCE, FIR AND HEMLOCK

Among these will be found some of the grandest coniferous trees in existence. For reforesting they are unequaled and for home beautifying find on rivals; all of fairly rapid growth.

Alka Aurea. Falled, 11/2 to 2 feet, \$1.00 each.

CILICIA (Cilician Silver Fir.) A distinct and beautiful species from the mountains of Asia Minor. It is a compact grower, the branches being thickly set on the stems; foliage dark green; quite hardy. One of the best of the Silver Firs. Boxed, 2½ feet, \$2.25 each.

CEPHALONICA (Cephalonian Silver Fir). From Europe. A remarkable and beautiful species; very broad for its height; leaves silvery and dagger shaped with a spine on the point; quite hardy and vigorous. Balled, 1½ to 2 feet, \$1.50.

ABLES DOUGLASII—Douglas Spruce
Red Fir. Yellow Fir. Oregon Fine. This variety grows to a
height of 300 feet; abounds in the Rocky Mountains.
Accommodates itself to many soils, but prefers a deep,
moist, cool and well-drained one; succeeds well on a moist, cool and well-drained one, succeeds well of a dry, slaty soil and on sand dunes and exposed situations. Surpasses almost all of the Conifers in the rapidity of its growth, and endures much drought. Balled, 2½ to 3 feet, 75c each; balled, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each; boxed, 3 ft., \$1.50 each; 3½ ft., \$2.00.

ENGELMANNI. This fine new Conifer is found on the higher parts of the Rocky Mountains. In its most favorable localities this species makes a stately tree, 60 to 100 feet high, forming a narrow tapering spire of a rather dark hue. As a specimen on a lawn it has few equals. Balled, 1½ feet, 75c each.

ABIES EXCELSA—Norway Spruce.

Perhaps one of the best known spruces. It is of rapid growth, attaining large size; habit of growth most symmetrical. In England and Germany this is the sort that is used for Christmas trees. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.00 each.

MA. A stately tree, attaining in favorable localities a height of 150 feet; branches horizontal, leaves deep glossy green above, paler beneath. A native of Japan. Balled, 2 feet, \$1.00 each; boxed, 2½ to 3 feet, \$2.00 each. FIRMA.

LASIACARPA. Native of Northern California and Southern Oregon; foliage, sea green; form of tree, most graceful; of quite rapid growth. Boxed, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each.

ABIES MENZEISII

A native of Alaska and Northwestern coast; thrives in low elevation, moist soil and climate, and is found in shady places. Beautiful as single specimens on lawn, or very fine as an avenue tree. Pot grown, 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.00 each.

ABIES NORDMANIANA (Nordmann's Silver Fir)

This majestic Fir, from the Crimean Mountains, is of symmetrical form, vigorous and quite hardy. Its foliage is quite massive, dark green, shiny above and slightly glaucous below, rendering it a very handsome tree throughout the year. Considered here and in Europe as one of the finest of the Silver Firs. Balled, 1½ feet, \$1.50 each; 2½ feet, \$2.50 each.

ABIES PINSAPO (Spanish Silver Fir)

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A beautiful tree; its compact growth and unique appearance render it worthy of a place in the garden. One of the handsomest in this class. Balled, 1½ feet, \$1.50 each; 2 ft., \$2.00 each; boxed, 2½ feet, \$3.50 each.

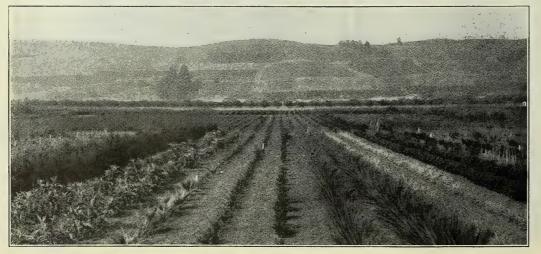
Pyramadalis. Balled, 11/2 to 2 feet, \$1.00 each.

LITA (Tiger's Tail Spruce). A distinct Japanese species. It is of erect habit and has rigid sharply pointed leaves of a bright green color. Balled, POLITA

green color. Balled, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet, \$1.00 each. Reine Amelia. Balled, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet, \$1.00 each. ACACIA

The Acacias are all natives of Australia and Tasmania. The wood is valuable and the bark used extensively for tanning purposes. They are all of rapid growth and produce their various shades of yellow flowers in great profuser. For their various shades of yellow flowers in great profusion. For quick growth and shade-affording purposes we know of no better tree. We offer the following varieties, all pot grown.

BAILEYANA. One of the most ornamental; foliage beautiful seagreen, flowers yellow, ballshaped; very profuse in bloom. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.



A View at Our Hayward Nurseries. Grown Without Irrigation. Note Uniformity of Growth

ACACIA-(Continued)

CULTRIFORMIS. Foliage of this variety is triangular in form; color beautiful sea-green; profuse in bloom; of medium sized spreading growth. A most lovely variety. 15 to 18 inches, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; 2 feet, 50c each.

EBIALIS. Leaves round, olive-shaped. 2½ feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. IMPERIALIS.

LATIPOLIA. Resembles the "Melanoxylon" variety, but leaves are longer and the tree more floriferous; flowers long spiked shape. This variety is much used in Golden Gate Park for windbreaks; it is excellent for such purposes. 2 to 3 feet, 30c each, \$2.50 for 10; 3½ to 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 5 to 6 feet, 75c each, \$6.00 per 10.

LOPANTHA. A very rapid growing variety. 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

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ACACIA MELANOXYLON—(Blackwood Tree)

Baron Von Mueller, in his "Select Extra-tropical Plants," writes of this tree: "The well-known Blackwood of our river flats and moist forest valleys. In irrigated glens of deep soil, the tree will attain a height of 80 feet, with a stem several feet in diameter. The wood is most valuable for furniture, railway and other carriages, boatbuilding (stem and stern post, ribs, rudder), for tool-handles, crutches, some portions of the work of organ-builders, casks, billiard-tables, pianofortes (for sound boards and actions), and numerous other purposes. The fine grained wood is cut into veneers. It takes a polish, and is almost equal to walnut. Our best wood for bending under steam, it does not warp or twist."

The great billiard-table firm of Alcock & Co., in Sydney and Melbourne, have been making tables from it for the last eight years, and at the exhibition of 1888, there was a piano cased with it which was as handsome a piece of parlor furniture as one could wish to own. The Martin-Henry Rifle Co., have been using it for gun stocks for the last fifteen years because they could get it much cheaper than the French walnut hitherto used by them.

Have you any vacant land suitable for the growth of this tree? If

Have you any vacant land suitable for the growth of this tree? If so, plant out a grove of them. They will grow into money while

so, plant out a grove of them. They you are asleep.

Not only is the "Melanoxylon" valuable as above, but for sidewalk or avenue trees it has few equals, being of very rapid growth and it can be trimmed so as to make beautiful specimens.

3-inch pots, 2 to 3 feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

4-inch pots, 3½ to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

5-inch pots, 4 to 4½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

5-inch pots, 4 fine erect-growing tree, with glaucous produced in a pr

LLISSIMA. A fine erect-growing tree, with glaucous green, feathery foliage; flowers yellow, produced in early spring in great profusion. A rapid-growing tree. 2 feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; 3 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10; 4 to 4½ feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; 5 feet, 75c each; 8 feet, \$1.50 each.

ASIANA. A variety with heathlike foliage; producing yellow flowers in greatest profusion. 2½ to 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10. REASIANA

RETINOIDES FLORABUNDA. Pendulous habit; sea-green foliage; very floriferous and sweet perfumed. 12 to 18 inches, 15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$7.00 per 100; 3 to 3½ feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 6 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

ABALIA SIEBOLDII. A handsome tropical-looking evergreen with fig shaped leaves, of a leathery appearance. Balled, 4 to 5 feet, \$3.50 each.

ARAUCARIA

Named from Arancanos, the native Chilean name for this tree. We list three varieties, one from Chili, one from Australia, and one from Norfolk Island. Which is the handsomest it is hard for us to say. They are all grand, majestic, noble trees, attaining in time immense proportions.

WELLI. Branches in regular whorls; closely set with spiny shining deep-green leaves. Very handsome. Balled, 2½ feet, \$2.00 each. BIDWELLI.

EXCELSA (Norfolk Island Pine). One of the handsomest of all trees; pyramidal in form and very symmetrical; hardy in protected locations. Excellent for parlor decorations. \$2.00 and \$3.00 each, according to size.

IMBRICATA (Chili Pine, or Monkey Tree). A fine tree, of regular pyramidal form; leaves bright green, broad, thick, pointed, overlapping each other. 5-inch pots, 1 ft., \$1.00 each; balled, 1½ ft. \$1.50 each.

ARBOR VITAE. See under Thuja.

ARBUTUS UNEDO. "Strawberry Tree." Balled, 11/2 feet, \$1.00 each.

AUCUBA

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This shrub is sometimes called the "Gold-Dust Tree," on account of its large, glossy foliage being marked with yellow spots. It is an extremely beautiful plant, and is of slow, spreading growth. In the warmer sections it should have partial shade. Fine for porch decoration. 7-inch pots, 2 feet, \$1.00 each.

LATIFOLIA VIRIDIS. This variety has dark-green shining foliage; in Winter time it is covered with red berries, which greatly enhance its beauty. 6-inch pots, 1½ feet, \$1.00 each.



Araucaria Bidwelli. The small hedge in front is the dwarf

AZALEA INDICA

These beautiful plants are becoming more popular every year for forcing, window, store, and conservatory decorations. They are also adapted for outdoor planting. The Azaleas which we offer are all grafted and have bushy crowns, and are well set with flower buds.

We can supply the following named sorts at \$1.50 each.

DEUTSCHE PERLE. Double; pure white.

EMPRESS OF INDIA. Double; rich rosy salmon.

MADAM VAN DER CRUYSSEN. Semi-double; crimson. SIMON MARDNER. Double; clear pink.

VERVAENEANA. Double; rosy salmon, white margin.

AZARA MICROPHYLLA. A handsome shrub, having small, glossy leaves; orange-yellow flowers. Where a really beautiful evergreen is desired, we recommend this variety. Pot grown, 1½ feet, 35c each; 2½ feet, 50c each.

BAMBOOS

Of late years the Bamboos have been receiving quite a lot of attention from the Californians who are interested in the horticultural development of their State. There are great possibilities in Bamboo culture; the Bamboo pole is useful for many purposes, and there are many places in this State where it can be grown successfully and profitably. The San Joaquin Valley, where there is irrigation, would be a good locality for its culture; it needs lots of water, but it must have good drainage.

FALCATA. Small, slender, fine foliage. Clumps, 2 feet, 75c each.

GIANT (Dendrocalamus Latifolius). The erect stemmed "Giant," with dense, broad-leaved foliage and enormous canes; these attain a diameter of four inches in fully developed specimens, with a height of forty-five to fifty feet. The canes are erect in habit, with the tip gracefully arched over. Very scarce. Price, strong established plants, each \$5.00.

PHILLIPPINENSIS. Beautiful feathery foliage of most graceful and dwarf habit. Large clumps, \$5.00.

THE BOX

These are useful—some for bordering, some for hedging, and others as single specimens on the lawn. They are all of slow growth, and never attain very large dimensions. None of them produce flowers, but the foliage is handsome.

ARGENTEA. Balled, 1 to 11/2 feet, 50c each.

JAPONICA (Tree) Plain-leaved. Fine for bordering. 6-inch pots, 1 ft., 50c each; balled, 1½ feet, 75c each.

BOX DWARF. (Suffruticosa.) A fine small bush, with glossy, roundish leaves. The variety so extensively glossy, roundish leaves. The used for edging. \$4.00 per 100.

BERBERIS DARWINII. This is the finest of the berberies; foliage thick and leathery; flowers orange-yellow; very fragrant. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each.

BREATH OF HEAVEN. See Diosma.

THE BROOMS

DREANA. The flowers of this variety are yellow and brown; they are not produced for such a long period as those of the Spanish variety, but on account of their oddity and beauty they are much in demand. 12 to 15 inches, 50c each. ANDREANA.

scotch vellow. A very handsome shrub, with drooping branches, covered in the Spring with bright yellow pea-shaped flowers. Very effective for grouping. 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

SPANISH. An upright-growing shrub. Flowers yellow, produced very freely in the Spring and Summer, on long pendulous, round leafless branches, 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CANARIENSIS. Lovely deep yellow flowers; very graceful. 4 inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

CALIFORNIA NATIVE TREES

Under this caption will be found trees indigenous to this State. We advocate strongly the systematic planting of these, so that they will not be lost to future generations, as will undoubtedly be the case if some radical change be not effected in forest preservation and forest planting.



Cedrus Deodora (Indian Cedar). One of the best Coniferous Trees for California.

Why there should be in this country such a lax method of caring for our forests is a wonder to us. In no other country are such methods permitted. As individuals, therefore, it behooves us to do our very utmost toward reforesting. We head the list with the world-famous

CALIFORNIA BIG TREE—(Sequoia Gigantea). This is the largest tree known to exist on the American continent. The bark is from one to two feet thick. One of the largest trees (the so-called Grizzly Giant of the Mariposa Grove) is 93 feet in circumference at the ground. Balled, 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.00 each.

CALIFORNIA BIG TREE—Weeping. A very beautiful hybrid of the preceding, foliage beautiful sea-green, of a pendulous habit. Balled, 2½ feet, \$2.50 each.

CALIFORNIA REDWOOD (Sequoia Sempervirens). this tree is obtained the most valuable timber in the California forests. It attains a height of 200 to 250 feet, and is from 8 to 12 feet in diameter. The wood is of a rich brownish red, strong and durable, and makes excellent timber. 4 inch pots, 1 to 1½ feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; balled, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 each; balled, 4 to 5 feet, \$2.50 each; 6 to 7 feet, \$3.50.

MONTEREY CYPRESS. See page 91.

DOUGLAS SPRUCE. See Abies Douglasii, page 88.

LAWSON CYPRESS. See page 91.

MONTEREY PINE. See page 94. PINE, PONDEROSA. See page 94.

THUJA GIGANTEA. See page 94.

CALLISTEMON LANCEOLATA. The Callistemons are allied to the Metrosideros family and some of the sorts are commonly known as "Bottle Brushes." This variety produces beautiful red flowers. 3 inch pots, 25c each.

CAMELLIAS. These showy Japanese shrubs are familiar to nearly every one. They bloom early in the Springtime, and are a great acquisition to the garden. The waxy odorless flowers are produced very freely. We offer the Double White, 80c to \$1.00 each; Double Pink, 80c to \$1.00 each; Double Red, 80c to \$1.00 each.

CAMPHOR TREE (Laurus Camphora). A fast-growing, very symetrical, ornamental tree, thriving in the very poorest soil. A native of Japan. Bright green foliage; well adapted for lawn purposes. Pot grown, 2 feet, 50c each. \$4.00 per 10; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 each.

CASSIA TOMENTOSA. This everflowering shrub produces yellow flowers in great profusion; foliage very pretty. 5 inch pots, 50c each.

COTONEASTER. A small growing evergreen of low-spreading habit; small round foliage; producing red berries along its branches, very showy. 5-inch pots, 50c each.

CASUARINA (Beef Wood, She Oak)

The Casuarina is supposed to be named after the Cassowary, a native bird of Australia (akin to the ostrich and emu) on account of its long plume-like foliage, which somewhat resembles the plumage of that bird. The leafless branches are long and pendulous and dark green in color. They are eminently adapted for forest planting in California. The Casuarinas are of very rapid growth and suit themselves alike to the cold bleak winds of the ocean or the hot interior valleys. The wood is very hard and can be advantageously used for many mechanical purposes. As an ornamental tree, we consider the Casuarina one of the best evergreen trees and for sidewalk planting it is very fine. It must, however, be kept pruned for such purposes; and as a tree for making windbreaks or hedges we consider it has no equal, being of such rapid growth and standing pruning so well. The more it is pruned the denser it becomes. They are indigenous to tropical Australia, and some are found in New Caledonia and India. We offer the following varieties:

EQUISETIFOLIA. 5-inch pots, 21/2 to 3 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

STRICTA. 3-inch pots, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet, 15c each, \$1.00 per 10. 3 to 4 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; Balled. \$50.00 per 100.

STRICTA. Balled, trimmed to 6 feet, \$1.00 each. STRICTA. Transplanted in boxes, \$4.00 per 100.

CEDAR OF LEBANON

This grand old historic tree, old as it is, has always retained a warm spot in the hearts of tree lovers. It is possessed of much grandeur and for lawn or park adornment, it is peculiarly adapted. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.00 each; Boxed 2½ feet, \$1.25; 3½ feet, \$2.00 each; 4½ feet, \$3.50 each.

CEDAR-(Continued)

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 CEDRUS DEODORA (Indian or Himalayan Cedar). If we were asked to name the handsomest coniferous tree, we would, we think be compelled to say that the Indian Cedar came as near being perfect as it were possible. The majesty and grandeur of this native of the Himalayan mountains is soul inspiring. To view its graceful proportions, its lovely sea-green drooping branches, is certainly a treat that all must appreciate. It is perfectly at home in this State, growing rapidly; it grows in the hot valleys to perfection, in fact, there is where one sees the finest specimens. As an avenue tree (where it can have plenty of space), it is unsurpassed, and alternating it with a Phoenix Canariensis the two make a grand combination. Balled, 1 to 1½ feet, 75c each; 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.75 each; 7 to 8 feet, \$7.50 each. each.
- THE ATLANTIC CEDAR. Another very fine sort, with very dark green foliage and of upright rapid growth. Boxed, 3 feet, \$2.00 each; 4½ feet, \$3.50 each; 9 feet, \$10.00
- COPROSMA BAUERI. A low-growing shrub, or it can be trained up as a climber. Leaves are round; green and very glossy. Flowers are inconspicuous but followed by clusters of showy yellow berries. 4-inch pots, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10.
- COPROSMA VARIEGATED. A variegated form of preceding, with beautiful, variegated foliage. 6-pots, 75c each.
- HARGUS CUNEATUM. An evergreen species of the Hawthorn family. Is of dwarfish habit with glossy foliage, and has berries of a bright scarlet color about the size of a pea. 3-inch pots, 1 ft. 20c; \$1.50 for 10; \$10.00 per 100; balled, 2 to 2½ feet, 75c each; transplanted in boxes, \$4.00 per 100. CRATAEGUS CUNEATUM.

CYPRESS

- LAWSONIANIA ARIZONICA. A variety with beautiful seagreen foliage. Balled, 4 to 5 feet, \$2.50.

 LAWSONIANIA PLUMOSUS. A variety with plume-like foliage and of drooping habit. Very choice. Balled, 2 feet, \$1.00 each.
- feet, \$1.00 each.

 LAWSON SILVER. This California species has great beauty. It is of rather upright growth; the branches droop gracefully, and the foliage is of a lovely set-green color.

 4-inch pots, 1½ ft., 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. Balled, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each. Boxed, 3 feet, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each.
- NTEREY. A native of California, and one of the most desirable of evergreens; stands pruning well; very extensively planted for hedges. Transplanted in boxes. 2 year, \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000; pot grown, 1½ feet, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; \$12.50 per 100; 3 to 3½ feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; \$20.00 per 100; balled, 3 to 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.50 per 10; \$40.00 per 100. MONTEREY.
- ITALIAN. Of upright, pyramidal growth. Very much used in landscaping, being peculiarly adapted for such work. Transplanted in boxes, \$5.00 per 100; pot grown, 3 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; balled, 5 feet, \$2.00 each; balled, 6 feet, \$3.00 each; balled, 8 feet, \$4.00 each.

 INTERTEXTA. Foliage dark green of drooping habit; a fine variety for lawn purposes. Boxed, 3½ feet, \$3.00 each.

- FRASERII. In this variety, perhaps, we have one of the handsomest of its class; foliage lovely sea-green, much flattened, rendering it a grand lawn tree. Balled, 2 feet, \$1.00. Boxed, 2 feet, \$1.25 each.
- GUADALUPENSIS. Of upright majestic growth sea-green in color. Balled, 4 to 6 feet, \$2.50 each.
- CRYPTOMERIA, JAPONICA. A large-growing evergreen from Japan, where it grows to immense size; the wood is much used in that country for building purposes. Pot grown plants, 1½ feet, 50c each.

 CRYPTOMERIA ELEGANS. Foliage smaller and more graceful than the preceding. Pot grown, 2½ to 3 feet, \$150 each.
- \$1.50 each.

DAPHNES

The Daphnes are, we think, very familiar to most of our readers. To those who do not know them we will try and describe them. They are evergreens; the leaves are very retty; but it is the flowers that attract attention when they are in blossom in early spring; they are small, sweetly scented, and appear in great profusion. They come in two separate colors. White, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet, \$1.00 each; Pink, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet, \$1.00 each.

DIOSMA ALBA (Breath of Heaven). This shrub never attains large proportions. It produces small, white starshaped flowers in great numbers. The foliage when bruised emits a sweet fragrance. 5-inch pots, 50c each.

EUCALYPTI

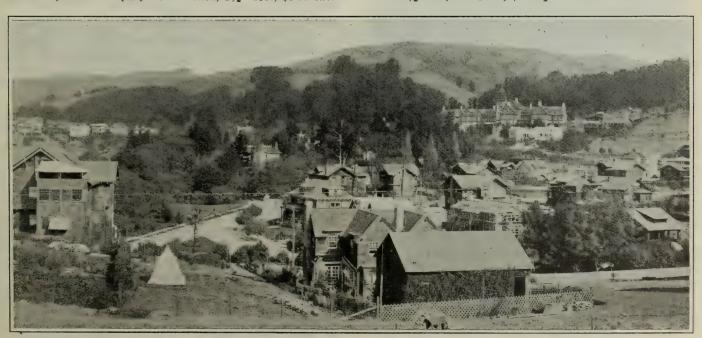
(Eucalyptus means "Well concealed," referring to the complete manner in which the essential organs of the floware concealed.)

There is no doubt in our mind but that the Eucalypti are destined to become the forest tree for this State, just as the Redwood and Big Tree have been in the past. They are all natives of Australia, the climate of which in many respects is similar to our own. The rapidity of growth, the durability of the timber and adaptability to almost any California climate or soil are recommendations which appeal very forcibly to us.

- vGDALINA, Peppermint Gum. A very large growing variety, wood very durable; makes first class timber for floors, scantling, etc. Pot grown, 2 to 2½ feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. AMYGDALINA, Peppermint Gum.
- \$2.00 per 10.

 CORYNOCALYX, Sugar Gum. Very ornamental; rapid growing; with dark green leaves; timber very durable and used for railroad ties. This gum will grow in a variety of climates; it thrives near the coast and grows equally well in parts of Southern Arizona. It is of course benefitted by moisture, but endures a great amount of drought. Transplanted in boxes, \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000; pot grown, 1½ to 2 feet, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; 3 feet, 30c each, \$2.50 per 10.

 CREBRA, Iron Bark. Of moderate growth; timber valuable, hard, tough and interlocked; foliage feathery, of drooping habit; it is a very ornamental sort. Pot grown, 2 to 2½ feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.



What a different appearance our hills have when clothed with trees.

EUCALYPTI-(Continued)

FICIPOLIA, Scarlet-flowering Gum. A beautiful sort, bearing lovely scarlet flowers, thick leathery leaves; hardy only in warmer sections. Pot grown, 35c and 50c each.

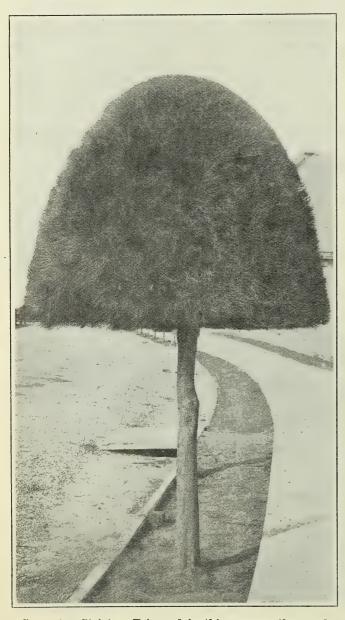
GLOBULUS, Tasmanian Blue Gum. One of the most useful of all and of very rapid growth. Adapts itself to a variety of climatic conditions. It thrives in moist, warm regions and hot, dry ones; it succeeds in moist lowlands and dry stony uplands. Excellent for removing stagnant water. Resistant to both quite high and low temperatures. Great extremes always excepted; if freezing weather continues for any length of time, injury to young growth, but not permanent, as it rapidly outgrows this. Transplanted in boxes, \$2 25 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000; pot grown, 1½ to 2 feet, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10; \$10 00 per 100; pot grown, 2½ to 3 feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

EUCALYPTUS CITRODORA, Lemon Scented. 3 feet, 50c each.

each.

LEUCONYLON, The Pink Flowering. Timber possessed of great strength and great durability; exceedingly hard; largely used for underground work; very ornamental. Transplanted in boxes, \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000; pot grown, 2 to 2½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

POLYANTHEMA, Red Box. A moderate grower; timber valuable for underground work, being remarkably hard and durable. Endures extremes from the coast to the hot interior valleys and foothills. Maximum temperature 110 to 118 degrees, minimum 15 to 20 degrees. One of the handsomest of the family; very graceful in habit; foliage round, silvery gray. Transplanted in boxes, \$2 25 per 100. \$2 25 per 100.



Casuarina Stricta. Trimmed in this manner they make excellent sidewalk trees

ROBUSTA, Swamp-Mahogany Gum. Best adapted to a moist, warm climate. Very symmetrical while young; quite brittle as it grows older; branches directly opposite in regular whorls; foliage large, of a deep, glossy green color; flowers large, creamy-white; blooms late in the Fall; very much prized by apiarists. Pot grown, 2 to 2½ feet, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10; 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10. Transplanted in boxes, \$2.25 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

per 1000.

ROSTRATA, Red Gum. Said to attain a height of 200 feet; a rapid grower, adapted to the coast and hot interior valleys. Maximum temperature, 110 to 115 degrees, minimum 15 to 20 degrees. The wood takes on an exceptionally high polish, suitable for interior finish. For this purpose the wood will be of value; it is extremely durable. The growth is not always straight, but when the first growth is cut down and the second grows up they appear to grow much straighter; close planting will in a measure help to make them grow more erect. Pot grown, 2 feet, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10; 2½ to 3 feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; 3½ to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10. Transplanted in boxes, very strong, \$2.25 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000.

per 1000.

RUDIS. This has been grown very extensively around Fresno, where it has been found to make an excellent avenue tree and also to be of very rapid growth. It withstands both heat and cold and in Arizona its suitability to conditions there has been fully established. It is a very rapid grower, and the wood is quite hard and tenacious. The practical uses of this variety have not been fully demonstrated. Maximum temperature 110 to 118 degrees, minimum 15 to 18 degrees. Transplanted in boxes, \$2.25 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000.

STUARTIANA, Apple-Scented Gum. Of medium growth, quite erect and stocky; a great resister of frost, enduring temperatures as low as 10 to 18 degrees F. Valuable for windbreaks; timber useful for fence posts and for fuel. Transplanted in boxes, \$2.50 per 100.

SALIGNA, Willow-Leaved. 3-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. per 1000. DIS. This

TERETECORNIS, Forest Red Gum. This variety has been receiving much attention of late years. At Mr. Cooper's ranch, Santa Barbara, their rate of growth has been about two-thirds that of the Globulus. It grows best near the coast, but endures the dry heat of the interior valleys. Maximum temperature 110 to 115 degrees, minimum 15 to 20 degrees. The wood is red, very hard, heavy and durable. Transplanted in boxes, \$2 25 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000. Pot grown, 2 to 3 feet, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10.

VIMINALIS. This is the variety that was very extensively planted in early days. It assumes very graceful propor-

planted in early days. It assumes very graceful proportions, having long slender drooping leaves; the bark becoming very white with age; of very rapid growth. Pot grown, 2½ to 3 feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

ELAEGNUS ARGENTEA. A very handsome evergreen shrub, having dark, glossy foliage mottled old gold. 4-inch pots, 50c each; boxed, 2½ feet., \$1.50 each. ESCALIONIA ALBA. A beautiful low growing shrub, pro-

ducing lovely white blossoms. 5-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

\$3.00 per 10.

ESCALLONIA ROSEA, Pink Flowering. 3-inch pots, 25c each; 6-inch pots, 75c each.

EUONYMUS, SILVER VARIEGATED. A very pretty, ornamental shrub; the foliage is silvery yellow. Potgrown, 1 ft., 25c. Balled, 3 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

EUONYMUS, DUC D'ANJOU. Golden blotch in center of leaf. Balled, 1 to 1½ feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

FABIANA IMBRICATA. A very pretty heath-like shrub of erect growth, producing pure white tube-shaped flowers in great profusion. When in bloom it is a most lovely shrub. 4-inch pots, 35c each.

GENESTA CANARIENSIS. See under Broom.

GREVILLEA THELEMANNIA. A lovely dwarf-growing

GENESTA CANARIENSIS. See under Broom.

GREVILLEA THELEMANNIA. A lovely dwarf-growing shrub from Australia, with fine needle-like foliage, and bright red flowers. 6-inch pots, 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

GREVILLEA ROBUSTA (Australian Silk Oak). A splendid fern-leaved evergreen tree, which makes a magnificent pot plant for all sorts of decorative purposes; flowers golden yellow; planted out in this State, it soon forms a magnificent lawn or shade tree. 3-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; 5-inch pots, 1½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 6-inch pots, 2 to 2½ feet, 60c each; 8-inch pots, 4 to 4½ feet, \$1.50 each.

HABROTHAMNUS ELEGANS. A strong-growing shrub.

feet, \$1.50 each.

HABROTHAMNUS ELEGANS. A strong-growing shrub, bearing panicles of small, trumpet-shaped, purplish red flowers; makes a grand showing on a lawn or trained against a wall or porch. Pot grown, 1½ feet, 25c each.

HEATH, MEDITERRANEAN. This variety is most desirable; it produces its small wax-like pink flowers in wonderful profusion. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

HOLLY, EUROPEAN. A small tree, with shining darkgreen thorny leaves. In Winter the tree is covered with bright red berries. Balled, 1½ feet, \$1.00 each; boxed, 3½ to 4 feet, \$3.00 each.

JUNIPER, SWEDISH A distinct and beautiful sort, of erect, dense, conical outline and upright growth; short glaucous-green foliage. Fine for planting in cemeteries. Balled, 2 feet, \$1.00 each.

- LAUREL, ENGLISH. A fine evergreen, with broad shining green leaves, produces large panicles of creamy-white flowers, followed by purple berries. 5-inch pots, 40c
- LAUREL, PORTUGAL. Balled, 11/2 ft., 75c each; 2 feet, \$1.00.
- LAUREL, SWEET BAY. A very ornamental, upright growing shrub, with deep, dark-green, fragrant leaves, and covered in the Fall with berries. If properly pruned, one of the handsomest of decorative plants. The leaves are placed between the layers of Smyrna figs and impart a peculiarly pleasant flavor to the fruit. 5-inch pots, 1½ feet, 50c each; balled, 2 feet, \$1.00 each.
- LAURUSTINUS. A well-known Winter flowering shrub, of great beauty, producing an abundance of white flowers: well adapted for hedges. Balled, 1½ to 2 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.
- LAURUSTINUS GRANDIPLORUS. A variety with much larger flowers than the preceding. Pot grown, 2 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

 LEPTOSPERNUM LAEVIGATUM. An evergreen shrub much used in the Golden Gate Park, where it succeeds to perfection. Especially adapted for windy places. Pot grown, 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 3 to 4 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

 LIBOCEDRUS CHILENSIS. One of court
- LIBOCEDRUS CHILENSIS. One of our beautiful coniferous trees; of low, compact growth; foliage, pleasing green and crimpled in appearance. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.50
- LIBOCEDRUS DECURRENS. Balled, 2 to 21/2 feet, \$1.50
- LIGUSTRUM JAPONICUM. (Japanese Privet). Produces large clusters of white flowers, slightly fragrant, followed by purplish blue berries; leaves glossy, leathery dark green. A large-growing shrub (or small tree). Makes an excellent hedge; stands trimming well. It also makes a very handsome sidewalk tree when trimmed up. Ealled, 4 feet, 60c each; 5 feet, \$1.00 cach; 6 feet,
- LIGUSTRUM OVALIFOLIUM (California Privet). A valuable hedge plant; stands pruning well; and is of rapid growth. 2½ to 3 feet, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; \$10.00 per 100; transplanted in boxes, \$5.00 per 100.
- LIGUSTRUM ELEGANTISSIMA AUREA. A variety with beautiful golden foliage. Balled, 2 to 2½ feet, bushy, 75c each.
- LOQUAT. This tree produces a very delicious fruit, which ripens in early Summer, it comes in clusters, and is yellow in color. It is also valuable as an ornamental tree, the leaves are large, crumpled and olive-green in color. Pot grown, 1½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10. Ealled, 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.
- magnolia granulfilora Oxoniensis. A lovely evergreen species, with large, leathery, bright green leaves that look as if made of wax, a foot or eighteen inches long and four inches wide. In addition to the beauty of the foliage, it bears large fragrant white flowers. Very choice. Boxed, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each.
- MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA. Boxed, 6 to 7 feet, \$5.00 each. METROSIDEROS SEMPERPLORENS. Commonly known as "Bottle Brush." Produces curiously shaped, scarlet flowers in shape of a bottle brush; very handsome and showy. Pot grown, 1½ feet, 50c each.
- MELALEUCA DENSEA. 3-inch pots, 25c each.
- MYRTLE. Single white. 5-inch pots, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10. NEW ZEALAND FLAX (Phormium tenax). Has large swordlike leaves, of a deep rich green color. From this plant linen is made in New Zealand. Very ornamental. A magnificent plant for lawn decoration. 75c and \$1.50
- NDINA DOMESTICA. A beautiful, upright-growing plant, of dwarf habit, with a number of reed-like stems, growing from the same root, crowned with deep glossy green foliage, and with tall spikes of white flowers. The young growth is prettily tinged with red. In the Fall it is covered with masses of small red and white berries. 75c each. NANDINA

THE OLEANDER

Best suited for the warmer sections, where, if given plenty of water it thrives to perfection. The flowers are produced very freely for a long period. One of the showiest of ever-blooming evergreens.

- **DOUBLE PINK.** 4-inch pots, 35c each; balled, 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, 75c each.
- DOUBLE WHITE. 4-inch pots, 35c each; balled, 2 to 21/2 feet, 75c each.
- PEPPER TREE. A most popular shade and ornamental tree, with fine feathery foliage, producing clusters of reddish berries in Autumn. 4-inch pots, 2½ feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; 5-inch pots, 3 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10. 6-inch pots, 4 to 4½ feet, 75c each.



PINES

For reforesting, windbreaks, shelter and shade affording purposes, pines have few equals; all being of rapid growth. Take some of our barren hills and plant them to pines; in a few years what a different appearance the country will have. In the past few years thousands of these have been set out in the Piedmont and Berkeley hills and today that section is assuming a different look. What effect will these have? They will add much beauty to the landscape, attract more rain, and conserve the rainfall.

EXCELSA, Bhotan Pine. A native of the mountains of Northern India. A graceful and elegant tree, with drooping silvery foliage, resembling that of the White Pine, but longer and more pendulous. Hardy and vigorous. Balled, 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.00 each; boxed, 3 feet, \$1.50

NTEREY. The most desirable pine for shade, and more extensively planted than any other variety in this State. Transulanted in boxes. \$4.00 per 100; 4-inch pots, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; balled, 15 to 18 inches, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; 3 to 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; balled, 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 cach. \$9.00 per 10; balled, 5 to 6 MONTEREY. feet, \$1.00 each; \$9.00 per 10.

PONDEROSA ("Yellow Pine"). Very rapid grower; one of the great timber trees of California. Balled, 2 to 2½ feet, 35c each.

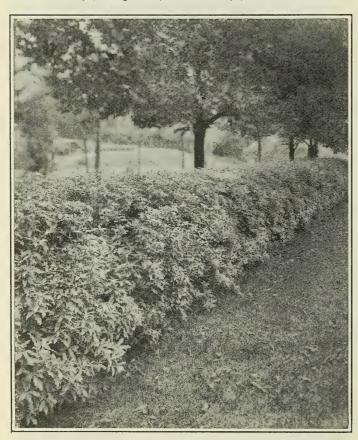
LARICIO (Corsican Pine). Stout spreading branches in regular whorls, forming a beautiful symmetrical pyramid. Balled 1½ to 2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

STROBUS (White Pine). Lovely, silvery-green, slender and of most beautiful habit. Balled, 2½ feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

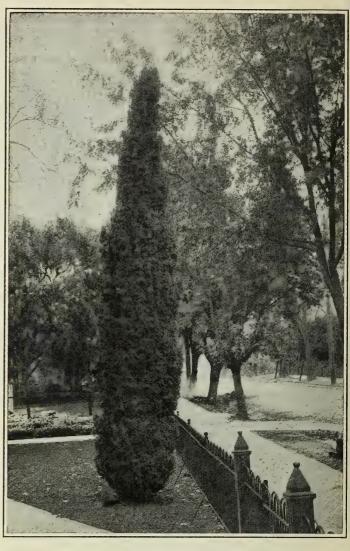
PITTOSPORUM

RICANS. A very handsome, upright growing shrub, with silvery light green leaves and black stems. A good hedge plant and very ornamental as an individual. Pot grown, 1½ to 2 feet, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10; 2½ to 3 feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; balled, 1½ to 2 feet, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; \$12.50 per 100. NIGRICANS.

SENOIDES. A large, upright growing shrub, with glossy yellowish green leaves; a very effective shrub, and excellent for hedges. Transplanted in boxes, \$4.00 per 100; pot grown 2 to 2½ feet, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; \$17.50 per 100; balled, 2 to 2½ feet, 35c; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100; balled (very bushy), 3 to 3½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each. EUGENOIDES.



Pittosporum Eugenoides. These make excellent hedges



Irish Yew. Symbolic of Stateliness

PITTOSPORUM—(Continued)

TOBIRA. A very desirable sort; the foliage and stems are very stiff; flowers pure white; sweetly scented; of dwarf habit. Balled, 11/2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

UNDULATUM. Flowers sweetly scented: very desirable. Pot grown, 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each. Balled, 2½ to 3 feet, 75c each.

POLYGALA DALMATIANA. YGALA DALMATIANA. A profuse flowering shrub, with purple pea-blossom-shaped flowers, and pretty light green foliage. Pot grown, 11/2 feet, 35c each.

PRIVET. See Ligustrum, page 93. REDWOOD.

See page 91. RETINOSPORA OBTUSA. A new and rare sort; leaves very much flattened, coral-like in appearance, and of a lovely dark-green shade, silvery underneath. Balled, grafted plants, 1½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

RETINOSPORA PLUMOSA. Foliage "plume-like," a lovely species. Balled, 1½ feet, 50c each.

RHODODENDRONS

These are among the grandest of our hardy flowering shrubs, and cannot be surpassed for lawn decoration. Should be planted in partial shade. We have a magnificent European collection to offer. Price, strong plants with plenty buds, \$2.50 each, except where noted otherwise.

CUNNINGHAMII. Pure White. CARACTACUS. Crimson.

CATAWBIENSE, ALBA. White.

GLORIOSUM. Red.

HIMALAYA. Pure white flowers; very fragrant.
pots, \$1.50 each.

JOHN SPENCER. Deep Rose.
MAD. MASSON. White, yellow blotch.
PARSON'S GLORIOSUM. Pink.

ROSEUM SUPERBA. Purple. STELLA WATERER. Red.

SPRUCE. See Abies.
SWAINSONA GREYANA. Flowers rose colored. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; 5-inch pots, 50c each.
SWAINSONA GALEGIFOLIA ALBA. This variety has delicate white flowers. 5-inch pots, 50c each; \$4.00 per

THUJA-ARBOR VITAE

A class of evergreen trees and shrubs; among the latter will be found some of our handsomest specimens for lawn adornment. They are of dwarf round neat habit.

GOLDEN. Of slow, compact growth, foliage beautiful bright green, changing at certain periods of the year to golden yellow. Balled, 1½ feet, \$1.00 each; \$8.00 per 10. Boxed, 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.50 each.

EVER GOLDEN. This variety, as the name indicates, has always beautiful golden foliage, elegant for lawns and front yards. Balled, 1½ feet, \$1.25 each.

ANTEA. A California Arbor Vitae, attaining great height in time; the foliage is pleasing green, and the individual branchlets have the appearance of having been pressed between the leaves of a book; it is a most graceful tree in all respects. Balled, 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.50

FILIFORMIS. The foliage of this variety is like "whip cord," a most beautiful and uncommon species, of dense compact growth. We recommend this variety very highly. Boxed, 3 feet, \$2.50 each. FILIFORMIS ERECTA. Balled, 11/2 to 2 feet, \$2.00 each. LOBBII AUREA. Of upright growth, with beautiful golden foliage. A choice and rare sort. Balled, 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.25 each; boxed, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each.

ujopsis Dolobrata. Leaves shining green above; silvery white beneath; of pendulous and dwarfish habit; branchlets coral-like in appearance; very handsome. Pot grown, 1 to 1½ feet, 50c each. THUJOPSIS DOLOBRATA.

VERONICA COLENSONII. This variety bears blue flowers. Balled, 1½ feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

VERONICA IMPERIALIS. The finest of the species. Flowers amaranth. 5-inch pots 35c each; \$3.00 per 10 balled, 1½ feet, bushy, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10. each; \$3.00 per 10;

VERONICA TRAVERSII. A most desirable sort: of dwarf habit: flowers pure white; excellent for hedge purposes Balled, 2 feet, 50c each.

YEW

FLISH. A densely branched, spreading tree; foliage dark and somber; a good sort for clipping into artificial forms. Balled, 3 to 3½ feet, \$1.50 each.

ENGLISH GOLDEN. A golden, variegated kind of the preceding. This tree "colors up" beautifully during the summer months. Balled, 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.50 each. during the

SH. An upright, growing variety, with deep dark-green foliage: branches erect. closely compressed, forming a pyramidal shaped head; a very distinct and beautiful variety. Balled, 3 feet, \$3.00 each; 4 feet, \$4.00 each.



The Pepper Tree has taken kindly to the land of its adoption.

DECIDUOUS TREES AND FLOWERING SHRUBS

In California, where there is such a scarcity of native trees, especially in the middle and southern parts, it is incumbent on all that they plant some shade trees. The first cost of these is not great, and the after attention, until they are old enough to care for themselves, should be a pleasure to those who may have planted them. For roadside planting we particularly recommend the following:

Ash, Black Walnut, Catalpa, Elm, Linden, Locust, Maple, Poplar, and Sycamores.

These are all very desirable, fast-growing trees, adapted to California conditions.

A good assortment of flowering trees and shrubs adds greatly to the beauty of all places, and is a source of continuous pleasure. Among the earliest of these to bloom is the Japanese Scarlet Quince, which commences to bloom early in February. It is a very showy shrub and blooms at a time when flowers are at a premium. It is much valued. The flowering Peaches next attract attention; when in bloom the tree is one mass of flowers; there are the double pink and the double white; the blooms resemble small roses. Corchorus Japonicus is a very nice flowering shrub. The flowers are of a deep orange shade; appearing along the branches for a long period. Crape Myrtles are among our prettiest shrubs; they bloom in summer and autumn; there are various shades among the best being red and white. Mock Orange, Deutzias, Spiraeas, and Weigileas are also to be commended as being highly ornamental; these all bloom in springtime. The Lilacs are known to all; their sweet fragrance adds greatly to the charm of the garden. Hydranges

DECIDUOUS TREES-Continued.

Hortensis bears immense pink ball-shaped flowers. Hydrangea Paniculata bears pure white flowers, spike-shaped and are very floriferous. A most beautiful flowering tree is the Crabapple-pink and white. The Brooms (Scotch and Spanish) come under this class; they both bear pea-shaped yellow flowers. The Spanish variety we prefer, being the longest bloomer. The Snowballs, which bear immense ball-shaped white flowers, are great favorites. Those who have seen the Japanese Magnolias bloom in early spring will agree with us that once seen they will never be forgotten. The blossoms appear before the leaves, and come in various colors—cup-shaped in appearance; in time they become quite large trees; but are of rather slow growth. The Hawthorns are old-fashioned favorites.

Deciduous trees are taken up during the winter months with bare roots, and cannot be planted with safety after about April 1st.

I, EUROPEAN. A lofty tree of rapid growth, with spreading head and gray bark; pinnate leaves and black buds. 4 to 5 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10; 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10. ASH, EUROPEAN.

ASH, AMERICAN. 4 to 6 feet; 40c each; \$3.00 per 10.

ALEA MOLLIS. Produces various shades of beautiful flowers, in great luxuriance; mostly brick-red and yellow. \$1.00 each. AZALEA MOLLIS.

BEECH, EUROPEAN. A choice deciduous tree of great beauty. 3 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

BERBERIS THUNBERGII. The foliage in the autumn months assumes a lovely shade of red; for the making of a hedge we can recommend this plant. 2 to 2½ feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.

BIRCH, EUROPEAN WHITE. Remarkable for its elegance; very graceful; with silvery bark and slender branches. 4 to 6 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each.

BIRCH, CUT-LEAVED WEEPING. A charming tree with deeply lacinated foliage. Its tall, slender, yet vigorous growth, graceful drooping branches, silvery-white bark, and delicately cut foliage, presents a combination of characteristics rarely met with in one tree. 3 to 4 feet, 75c each.

CATALPA SPECIOSA (Western Catalpa). Leaves, large, heart-shaped; of rapid growth; flowers come in long grape-like clusters of white and purple; very fragrant. The timber obtained from this tree is valuable. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CATALPA KAEMPFERII (Japan Catalpa). Flowers cream-colored, speckled purple and yellow. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CERCIS CANADENSIS (Judas Tree, or Red Bud). A very ornamental native tree, of medium size, irregular round-ed form, with perfect heart-shaped leaves of a pure green color, glossy surface above, and grayish green beneath. The tree derives the name of Red Bud from the profusion of delicate reddish purple flowers with which it is covered before the foliage appears. Flowering at the same time with the Chinese Magnolias, it may be planted among them in groups with fine effect. Grown as single specimens they are also beautiful and attractive, and deserve to be classed among our finest ornamental trees. 3 to 4 feet, 75c each.

CHERRY, JAPANESE DOUBLE FLOWERING. ERRY, JAPANESE DOUBLE FLOWERING. A very ornamental family of trees; they produce their flowers in great masses, and when in blossom they present a glorious sight.

CHESTNUT, AMERICAN. A noble large-growing tree, at first of slow growth, but eventually growing with fair rapidity. 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CRAB APPLE, Betchell's Double Flowering. One of the most beautiful of the many fine varieties of flowering Crabs. Tree of medium size, covered in early Spring with large, beautiful double fragrant flowers of a deligible of the size of cate pink color. From a distance the flowers of a delicate pink color. From a distance the flowers have the appearance of small roses. A great acquisition, and certain to become very popular as soon as known. Blooms when quite young. 4 feet, \$1.00 each.

CORCHORUS JAPONICUS. Produces globular-shaped deep yellow flowers for a long period; foliage slender and graceful. 2 feet, 35c each.

CARYOFTERIS MASTACANTHUS. A splendid low growing shrub producing blue flowers in wonderful programs.

EYOFTERIS MASTACANTHUS. A splendid low growing shrub, producing blue flowers, in wonderful profusion, for a long period; sometimes called "Blue Spiroea." We recommend this plant as an excellent hedge plant. Strong plants, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CURRANT, RED FLOWERING. 2 to 3 feet, 35c each; \$3.00

DEUTZIA GRACILIS. A charming species of dwarf habit; flowers pure white; produced in great masses in spring time. Excellent for pot culture. 1½ feet, 30c each. DEUTZIA, DOUBLE PINK. 2½ feet, 35c each.

DEUTZIA, PRIDE OF ROCHESTER. Flowers pure white. 2½ feet, 35c each.

DEUTZIA LEMOINEII. Flowers pure white, borne on stout branches, which are of upright growth; free flowering. 2 to 2½ feet, 35c each.

THE ELM

Is considered our handsomest and quickest growing shade tree, making excellent shade. One of the best trees

for country road planting.

AMERICAN WHITE. A magnificent large tree, with drooping, spreading branches; one of the grandest of our native forest trees. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$6.50 per 10; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

LARGE LEAVED. An erect, lofty growing tree of rapid, compact growth, with large beautiful foliage. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$6.50 per 10.

CORK BARKED. 3 to 4 feet, 40c each; \$3.00 per 10.

GOLDEN LEAVED. 4 to 6 feet. \$1.00 each.

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HAWTHORN. See Thorn.
HONEYSUCKLE BUSH. This variety does not climb, but grows in bush form and makes a most beautiful hedge, for which purpose it is used extensively in the Eastern States. The flowers are delicate pink and produced in great profusion in the early Spring months. The plant can be pruned to any desired height. Field grown, plants 2 to 3 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.
HORSE CHESTNUT (European White). A rather slow growing tree, with palmate shaped leaves and beautiful white flowers, followed later with chestnut-like burrs. 3 to 3½ feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10. HAWTHORN. See Thorn.



This street is planted to European Sycamore

HORSE CHESTNUT (Pink Plowering). This variety produces pink flowers. 3 feet, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10.

HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA. This is one of the finest of all hardy shrubs for the lawn or border. The flowers are white, spike-shaped, and are produced for a long period during the summer and fall. 2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

HYDRANGEA ARBORESCENS GRANDIFLORA. A new deciduous, pure snow white variety. The enormous trusses of bloom are much the same shape as hortensis, with foliage somewhat like the paniculata types. We regard it as one of the finest novelties of recent years and are certain that it will please all who try it. Strong plants, 50c each.

HYPERICUM MOSERIANUM. It produces long, slender, much-branched stems. It is marvelously free-flowering; of large size; a rich golden-yellow, which is rendered still more effective by the numerous yellow stamens and crimson anthers, and blooms continuously the entire season. Strong plants, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

LABURNUM, or GOLDEN CHAIN. A beautiful small-growing tree, with long drooping racemes of fragrant yellow flowers. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; 6 to 8 feet, 75c each.

LEMON VERBENA. The fragrance from the foliage of this old favorite is delightfully refreshing. 3 feet, 50c each.

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CHARLES X. Double reddish purple. 2 to 21/2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

LEMOINE. Double white. 2 to 21/2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

RUBRA DE MARLY. Reddish purple. 2 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

THMAGENSIS. Double. Violet purple. each; \$4.00 per 10. ROTHMAGENSIS. 21/2 feet, 50c

WHITE AND PURPLE. Strong bushy plants. 21/2 feet, 35c

LINDEN, BROAD-LEAVED AMERICAN (Platiphylla).

The Linden is a magnificent tree; the leaves are beautiful, thus making a very handsome tree. They produce small, white flowers, very sweetly scented indeed. 4 to 6 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

LINDEN, EUROPEAN. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10.

LINDEN, AMERICAN OR BASSWOOD. 4 to 5 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

LOCUST, THORNLESS (Bessoniana). A very ornamental variety; it makes a beautiful umbrella-like head, and is free from thorns. Of rapid growth; a most desirable shade tree. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each, \$8.00 per 10.

LOCUST, COMMON OR BLACK. A rapid-growing tree, with spreading branches. A valuable timber tree, and used for various mechanical purposes. 6 to 8 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

LOCUST, PINK PLOWERING (Decnaisneana). This grand flowering deciduous shade tree produces beautiful coral-pink flowers in long grape-like clusters for a long period and is one of our handsomest trees. Of rapid growth. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

MAIDEN HAIR TREE (Salisburia). A remarkable tree from Japan, combining in its habit characteristics of the conifer and deciduous tree. The tree is of medium size and rapid growth; beautiful fern-like foliage, in shape resembles somewhat a Maiden Hair Fern, hence the name. Rare and elegant. 3 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each.

MAPLE

A valuable and highly ornamental family of trees. The Maples are regular in outline, beautiful in foliage, vigorous growers, free from all diseases, and adapted to all soils; merits which deservedly render them universally popular.

BOX ELDER. A large-growing handsome tree of rapid growth; foliage ash-like; a fine avenue tree. 6 to 8 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

JAPANESE. None of our autumnal trees can excel these in gorgeousness of coloring; they include yellow, bloodred, green and variegated. The uniqueness of the shape of the leaves is also wonderful, some as delicate as the finest lace. Plant in shady place.

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NORWAY. A large, handsome tree, with broad, deep green foliage, and of very compact growth, rendering it one of the most desirable varieties for the street, park or garden. A valuable variety in the interior valleys. 6 to 3 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; \$40.00 per 100; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

SILVER, OR SOFT. A rapid-growing tree of large size; irregular rounded form: foliage bright green above.

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h. A very graceful tree, which has found much favor with tree lovers European Birch.

SUGAR. A well known tree of stately growth, fine form and foliage, which assumes beautiful autumnal tints. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

MAGNOLIA, JAPANESE

These highly ornamental medium sized trees with their lavish display of fragrant, many hued flowers, are worthy of a place in every garden of any size. Planted in groups, their effect in the early spring with their brilliant colorings and their rich fragrance is grand beyond description.

ALEXANDRAE. Flowers very large, white tinted pink, very fine. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 each.

SPICUA. Flowers large, pure white, cup-shaped, very sweet. 2½ to 3 feet, 50c each. CONSPICUA.

LENNEANA. Flowers purplish crimson. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 each.

OBOVATA. Purple flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

MOUNTAIN ASH, EUROPEAN (Rowan Tree). Flowers creamy white; foliage somewhat like the Pepper Tree; covered from August to November with large clusters of orange-colored berries. 5 to 6 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

MULBERRY, DOWNING'S EVERBEARING. A very rapid grower. A valuable shade tree; produces a good fruit. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

PEACH, FLOWERING. The double flowering varieties are distinguished for their showy and beautiful bloom. At the blossoming season in April, every branchlet is covered with a mass of beautifully formed, highly colored flowers, rendering the trees most interesting objects and attracting great attention. We can supply the Double White and Double Pink. 4 to 5 feet, 50e each.

PAULOWNIA IMPERIALIS. JLOWNIA IMPERIALIS. Known as "Empress Tree." A magnificent tropical looking tree from Japan; of extremely rapid growth, and surpassing all others in the size of its leaves, which are twelve to fourteen inches in diameter, blossoms trumpet-shaped, formed in large, upright panicles and appearing in May; color a beautiful shade of lavender. 10 feet, \$1.00 each. Known as "Empress Tree."

PLUM, PURPLE-LEAVED (Pissardi). The young branches are very dark purple; the leaves when young are lust-rous crimson changing to a dark purple and retain this beautiful tint till they drop late in autumn. No other purple-leaved tree or shrub retains its color like this. It also bears a fairly good fruit. 4 to 6 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.



A street planted to Silver Maples. All streets should be planted uniformly

Poplars are very rapid growing trees and thrive under a great variety of conditions as regards soil, but do best in damp situations and along watercourses. Their leaves are bright among other trees, of heavier foliage and give to a group a sprightly air. They are well adapted for windbreaks and are very effective when planted in groups by themselves.

"BALM OF GILEAD." Of remarkably rapid and luxuriant growth with large glossy foliage. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

CAROLINA. A very distinct tree, making a large, spreading head. Excellent for avenue planting. 6 to 8 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; \$35.00 per 100.

LOMBARDY. This is one of the characteristic trees of parts of Italy and it is from the Italian province, Lombardy, that its common name is derived. Probably a native of Asia. A very rapid, erect growing tree with a tall, spiry form and particularly striking and picturesque, when grouped among other trees. 4 to 6 feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; 6 to 8 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 8 to 10 feet, 75c each.

QUINCE (Japanese Scarlet Flowering). This is the first shrub to bloom in spring and the blossoms appear in great profusion covering every branch and branchlet before the appearance of the leaves. 2½ feet, 50c each.

RHUS GLABRA. A very showy shrub, the foliage in autumn assumes a gorgeous coloring. 5 to 6 feet, 50c each. \$400 per 10. This is the first.

each; \$4.00 per 10.

ROWAN TREE. See under Mountain Ash.

NOWAN TREE. See under Mountain Ash.

SNOWBALL. This well-known shrub is known to nearly every one; it produces immense ball-shaped, white flowers in great profusion in May and June. Should be in every collection. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

SYCAMORE, EUROPEAN. 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$27.50 per 100; 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; \$35.00 per 100.

SPIRAEA

DOUGLASII ROSEA. This variety has spikes of beautiful deep rose-colored flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10.

REVESIANA FLOREPLENA. 2 to 21/2 feet, 35c each; \$3.00

TAMARIX AFRICANI. An elegant and handsome flowering small tree, thriving in all soils and locations, whether by the seashore or hot interior valleys. The flowers appear along the branches;; foliage feathery and graceful. 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

TEXAS UMBRELIA TREE. This is one of the handsomest of deciduous shade trees, and is adapted particularly to the warm parts of this State, where, when sufficient water is supplied it assumes a grand umbrella-shaped head, affording delightful shade in the hot summer days.

3 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10; 5 to 6 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; \$45.00 per 10; 5 to 6 feet, 60c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$1.00 pe

flowers. A highly ornamental variety, on account of both foliage and flowers. 4 to 6 feet, 50c each; \$4.00

THORN, DOUBLE RED. 5 to 6 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

THORN, PAUL'S DOUBLE SCARLET. 4 to 6 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

each; \$400 per 10.

WALNUT, CALIFORNIA BLACK. One of the best shade trees for California; of rapid growth. 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

VIRGILIA LUTEA. A very handsome American tree, sometimes called "Yellow Wood," it produces long racemes of pure white sweetly scented flowers in early summer. 2 feet, 40c each.

WEIGILEA ROSEA. Much esteemed shrubs; producing lovely trumpet-shaped pink flowers. 2 to 2½ feet. 35c

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IGILEA AMABALIS. This flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 35c each. WEIGILEA This variety produces white

flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 35c each.

WALNUT, FRANQUETTE. This tree is an excellent variety for planting where shade is desired or for sidewalk; it is of rapid growth and produces a very fine nut. Grafted on California Black Walnut root, 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.

WALNUT, MAYETTE. Grafted on California Black Boot. 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.

WILLOW, BABYLONIAN. This is the willow seen so often in this State. It is known as the "Common Willow," or Weeping Willow. It is best suited to plant in wet land, where it makes rapid growth and affords grateful shade

weeping Willow. It is best suited to plant in wet land, where it makes rapid growth and affords grateful shade for stock that browse lazily on the lower branches. So pruned, it adds picturesqueness to our landscapes. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

WILLOW, ASIA MINOR. Foliage narrower than the Babylonian. 4 to 5 feet, 50c each.

WILLOW, GOLDEN. Beautiful yellow branches. 4 to 6 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

IMBING AND TRAILING PLANTS

Some nice, rapid-growing, climbing vines planted around our dwelling houses add considerably to the beauty thereof. Some of the following are planted for their foliage alone, and others again for their handsome flowers.

from Japan. Fo A very distinct and pretty climber from Japan. Foliage clover-like in appearance, semi-evergreen; flowers chocolate-colored, appearing in early spring. Very sweet. 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

AMPELOPSIS ENGELMANNI. Shorter jointed than quinquefolia. Strong grower. 2-year-old plants, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

AMPELOPSIS QUINQUEFOLIA (Virginia Creeper). leaves are palmate, handsome and luxuriant, assuming in autumn a gorgeous bronzy hue. Strong, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

AMPELOPSIS Veitchii (Boston or Japan Ivy). This variety clings closely without any assistance to a stone wall or brick flue, or a wooden surface. It is widely planted in California, where it succeeds admirably, and is much admired. Strong plants, 50c each.

AUSTRALIAN PEA VINE. This lovely fast-growing climber we can recommend to those desiring a rapid grower. The flowers are pea-shaped, pink, and produced in great Pot-grown strong plants, 35c each, \$3.00 luxuriance. per 10.

BOSTON IVY. See Ampelopsis Veitchii.

CLEMATIS

The Clematis are elegant, slender-branched climbers of rapid growth, with fine foliage and beautiful, large flowers of various colors; they are perfectly hardy and cannot be excelled as climbing plants in any situation; they are very particular as to soil, that of a loamy texture being the most suitable; thorough drainage is indispensable to good, healthy growth; large, deep holes should be dug, and if the soil is heavy it must be replaced; in planting, the roots should all be spread out, and plants pruned down to one-half their height; they should never be allowed to get very dry; an annual manuring should be given, and tops pruned off in December. 75c each, except where noted.

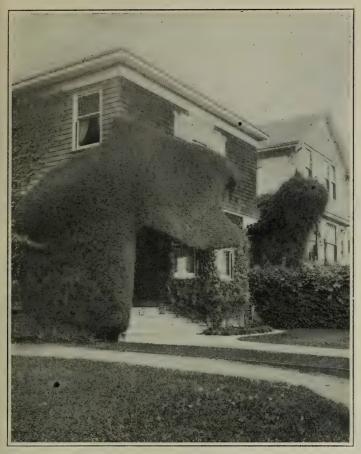
DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH. Fine large double white.

JACKMANII. Deep purple violet.

HENRYII. Large, single white.

MADAM E. ANDREE. Large, single red.

MONTANA. In this variety we have the ideal Clematis for this State. The flowers are produced in Spring in wonderful profusion; they are about the size of a dollar and are pure white. The vine is a rapid, rampant grower. Strong plants. 50c each. er. Strong plants. 50c each.



Muchlenbeckia Complexa. This vine stands trimming remarkably well

NICULATA. A Japanese climber, recently introduced into this country, of unusual and attractive merits; rapid grower; foliage of a glossy, rich green; the flowers are of medium size, pure white, and of most delicious fragrance. Strong plants, 50c each. PANTCHILATA.

BOUGAINVILLEA SPECTABALIS. These climbers are be-coming greater favorites every year. They have pecul-iarly shaped flowers, somewhat resembling the leaves in shaped flowers, somewhat resembling the leaves in shape, the color being of a rosy lake, and produced at the end of the branches in wonderful profusion. They are indispensable for the greenhouse and do remarkably well in many protected situations out of doors. Strong plants, 75c and \$1.50 each.

BIGNONIA VENUSTA. A very handsome variety; flowers rich orange, long and tubular in shape. 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

BIGNONIA GRANCE

BIGNONIA GRANDIFLORA (Trumpet Vine). Rapid-growing climber, bearing large orange-yellow trumpet-shaped flowers in great profusion. Strong plants, 50c each.

BIGNONIA RADICANS. Scarlet trumpet flowers; exceedingly showy. 50c each.

CLIANTHUS PUNICEUS. "Parrot's Bill." Flowers brilliant red, long and curved; foliage dense. 4-inch pots, 35c each.

FICUS REPENS. US REPENS. A very pretty useful climber; clings to stone, brick or wood; like the Boston Ivy. Evergreen. 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

HONEYSUCKLE, CHINESE. Rosy white. 4-inch pots, 50c each.

HONEYSUCKLE, BELGIAN OB ENGLISH. Red and yellow flowers; long bloomer; very fragrant. 4-inch pots, 50c each.

HONEYSUCKLE, HALLEANA, HALL'S JAPAN HONEY-SUCKLE. A strong, vigorous, almost evergreen, sort with pure white flowers, changing to yellow; very fragrant; a long and continuous bloomer. 4-inch pots, 50c each.

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HONEYSUCKLE PUNICEA. A most beautiful sort, having scarlet trumpet shaped flowers. 4-inch pots, 50c each.

HOPS (Humulus Lupulus). One of the very best climbers for covering unsightly places. It is a rapid grower, and bears a profusion of seed pods suitable for many domestic purposes. Strong roots, 15c each, \$1.25 per 12.

IVY, ENGLISH, LARGE-LEAVED. Leaves thick, shining, leathery. 3-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; \$15.00 per 100; 6-inch pots, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10.

IVY, ENGLISH, SMALL-LEAVED. 5-inch pots, 50c each. IVY, VARIEGATED, SILVER-LEAVED. Large plants 50c each.

JASMINE NUDIFLORUM. This variety of Jasmine produces its lovely fragrant yellow flowers in very early spring in great profusion. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00

JASMINE REVOLUTUM (Yellow-Flowering Jasmine). Produces fragrant yellow flowers. 5-inch pots, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

JASMINE OFFICINALIS. MINE OFFICINALIS. Flowers pure white, sweetly scented produced in early Spring. 5-inch pots, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

JASMINE GRANDIFLORUM (Catalonian Jasmine). Plant is of shrubby, half-climbing habit, with very delicate foliage, and its small, white, star-shaped, fragrant flowers are produced in the greatest profusion the year round. 4-inch pots, 50c each.

JASMINE PRIMULINUM. A grand new golden yellow sprints, introduced from Ching, the blossoms are fully

MINE PRIMULINUM. A grand new golden yellow variety, introduced from China; the blossoms are fully two inches in diameter, and in early spring-time the plant is one mass of blooms. 6-inch pots, 75c each.

KENILWORTH IVY. An old fashioned favorite; excellent for window boxes and hanging baskets. 4-inch pots, 20c each.

TUS PELIORYNCHUS. A dainty plant of creeping habit; foliage glaucous, lace-like; flowers scarlet, produced in greatest profusion. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10. LOTUS PELIORYNCHUS.

MANDEVILLEA SUAVEOLENS (Chili Jasmine). Flowers very fragrant; star-shaped; strong climber. 25c each.

MUEHLENBECKIA COMPLEXA (New Zealand Mattress Vine). This pretty, strong-growing climber and trailer is very desirable for covering old stumps of trees, rockwork, etc. The foliage is small, dense, and graceful. 4-inch pots, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

PASSION VINE (Passiflora). These well-known hardy climbers are familiar to and appreciated by all. They are of rapid growth, and very attractive when covered with the large handsome flowers.

PINK. 35c each; \$3.00 per 10. SCARLET. 5-inch pots, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

PHYSIANTHUS ALBUS. A beautiful climber, flowering during Summer and Fall. Pure white, fragrant. 5-inch pots, 35c each.

PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS. Can be trained as a bush or climber. Flowers light sky-blue. verbena-shaped, produced throughout the entire Summer; stands drought and water and the brightest sunshine. 5-inch pots, 50c each.

PLUMBAGO WHITE. 4-inch pots, 35c each. SMILAX. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

ANUM JASMINOIDES GRANDIFLORA. A most beautiful climber. Its flowers are star-shaped, and borne in good-sized panicles or clusters. 5-inch pots, 50c each. SOLANUM JASMINOIDES GRANDIFLORA.

solanum wendlandii. Foliage large, and in the blooming season the entire plant is covered with gigantic trusses of pale blue flowers. It does best when planted in a sunny situation. 6-inch pots, 60c each.



Such planting adds tropical beauty to our streets Abyssinian Banana.

CLIMBING PLANTS—Continued.

RHYNCHOSPERMUM JASMINOIDES. (Malayan Jasmine).
One of the most exquisitely scented of all flowering vines. The flowers are small, star-shaped, borne in profusion and deliciously fragrant. Foliage dark-green, thick and leathery in substance. 5-inch pots, 75c each.

creeper. A vigorous plant with small foliage and numerous pale blue flowers. It is but little known here, although a valuable climber. It does well in almost any situation, and is deserving of increased culture. 6-inch pots, 75c each.

VITIS RHOMBIFOLIUM (Evergreen Grape). evergreen plant; foliage dainty; growth slender; for covering pergolas or porches they are unsurpassed. 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each. THE WISTARIA

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There is no climbing plant that is so universally admired and generally known as the Wistaria. When in bloom in Springtime, they are certainly very beautiful. Their long grape-like clusters of flowers appeal to everyone. Their growth is extremely rapid, attaining a height of 40 feet in a few years. The Wistaria is very hardy, growing in cold countries to perfection. We offer the following varieties: CHINENSIS. Clusters about a foot long; flowers single, pale blue. Field grown plants, \$1.00 each.

MAGNIFICA. Blooms later than the preceding, and continues in bloom during the Summer months, but not so profusely as in Spring; flowers in short panicles; lilac with greenish yellow spots. \$1.00 each.

MULTIJUGA. Racemes long and slender; very dark blue; native of Japan. Strong plants, \$1.00 each.

MULTIJUGA ALBA. Bears long racemes of pure white flowers. \$1.00 each.

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PALMS, DRACAENAS, ETC.

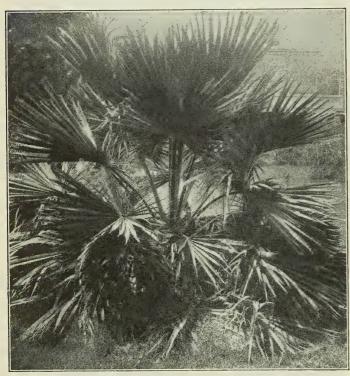
*Marked thus are for indoor, conservatory decoration, or warmer sections only.

AGAVE, AMERICAN VARIEGATED. Boxed, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet, \$2.00 each.

AHEA EDULIS. Unsurpassed, whether grown outside (it is very hardy) or as a pot plant. It has very large fan-shaped leaves of bright green color; is never affected by heat or cold. Boxed, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each; balled, 2½ BRAHEA EDULIS. to 3 feet, \$2.50 each.

CALIFORNIA FAN PALM. See Washingtonia.

CHAMAEROPS EXCELSA (Japanese Fan Palm). One of the hardiest of the Fan Palms. Foliage dark green; the segments of the fan-shaped leaves deeply cut, the edges covered with tooth-like spines. Grows from 15 to 20 feet high; very desirable for sidewalk decoration. Pot grown, 1 to 1½ feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; 2 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; balled, 2 to 2½ feet, \$1.50; boxed, 3 feet, \$2.50 each.



Brahea edulis should be planted more extensively as it is a very handsome palm.

PRYPHA AUSTRALIS (Livistonia). An Australian palm. Foliage dark green; very syymmetrically and regularly slit, the segments partially doubled from base of petioles or leaf stalk, which is thickly armed with crooked spines. Used chiefly for house decoration, though hardy in some locations. 4-inch pots, 50c each; 5-inch pots, 75c each. *CORYPHA

COCOS PLUMOSUS. Hardy in some localities, and when grown outside is of rapid growth. No handsomer palm can be found than this. 4-inch pots, 75c each; boxed, 8 to 9 feet, \$10.00 each.

COCOS AUSTRALIS. A magnificent, hardy palm quite different from the preceding, although under the same classification. The growth is more after the style of a Phoenix or Date Palm, but with a totally different

appearance in general character. The leaf stems recurve towards the base of the plant, giving a graceful, arched effect. The foliage is gray-green in color. Balled, 4 to $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet, \$7.50 each.

*CYCAS REVOLUTA. The well-known "Sago Palm" so much in demand for inside decoration. The stems are cylindrical, terminating in a crown of handsome, feather-shaped leaves of thick leathery texture. In the Southern part of this State this variety grows to perfection out of doors. 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00 each, according to size.

DRACAENA INDIVISA. A fine plant for outdoor planting in California, and much in use for lawns, avenues, and parks. The small plants are fine for window decoration. Transplanted in boxes, 2 years, \$5.00 for 100. 5-inch pots, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; balled, 1½ to 2 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10; balled, 2½ to 3 feet, \$1.50 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each; \$17.50 per 10; boxed, 6 feet, \$5.00 each. each.

GALIA GRACILIMA. The foliage is narrow, long and graceful, much used on lawns, where, when supplied liberally with water, it produces a grand effect. 60c EULALIA each.

*KENTIA BELMOREANA. This fine palm is a valuable addition to our collection. Its leaves are pinnate, dark green, and so beautifully crisp as to gain for it the name of "Curly Palm." It is very elegant and graceful in habit. A native of Lord Howe's Island, where it attains a height of 40 feet, in 5-inch pots, \$1.50 each; 6-inch pots, \$2.00.

*KENTIA POSTERIANA. One of the finest of the Kentias, with graceful, bright green foliage. Plants, in 5-inch pots, \$1.50 each; in 6-inch pots, \$2.00 each; 7-inch pots, \$3.00 each; 3 to 3½ feet, \$7.50 to \$9.00 each; 5 to 5½ feet, \$12.50 to \$14.00 each.

*LATANIA BORBONICA. Leaves large, fan-shaped, of a very cheerful green color; plant of hardy construction, and adapted to all decorative purposes within doors. Appreciated by all the plant-loving community. 5-inch pots, \$1.00 each; 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each; 7-inch pots, \$3.50 each.

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MUSA ENSETE (Abyssinian Banana). The noblest of all plants is the great Abyssinian Banana. The fruit of this variety is not edible, but the leaves are magnificent, long, broad and massive, of a beautiful green, with a broad crimson midrib. The plant grows luxuriantly, from 8 to 20 feet high; it grows rapidly and attains gigantic proportions. producing a tropical effect in one season. Boxed, 3 feet, \$2.50 each.

PHOENIX CANARIENSIS (The Canary Island Date). The handsomest and hardiest species of the date palm family. Being a rapid grower, it soon develops into beautiful specimens, with pinnate, dark green leaves, from 15 to 20 feet long, the divisions linear, lance-shaped, very much pointed. It is fully as hardy as the native Fan Palm and differing so widely from that variety in its habit of growth, color, and style of foliage, a finer contrast cannot readily be imagined when the two are planted, either opposite or alternately in rows. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each; 3 feet, \$2.50 each; boxed, \$1.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00 each, according to size.

PHOENIX ROEBELINI. A variety introduced from Burmah a few years ago, it is of exquisite beauty; the leaves are beautifully arched. Very valuable for house culture, and in quite a few places it is hardy when planted out of doors in this State. 7-inch pots, \$6.00 each; 8-inch pots, \$7.00 each.

PAMPAS GRASS. Strong clumps, 75c each.

TRITOMA UVARIA (Red Hot Poker Flant). So called on account of its scarlet flowers resembling that house-

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TRITOMA PFITZERII. Strong roots. 60c each.



Phoenix Canariensis. The two trees to the right are the Cut Leaved Weeping Birch

WASHINGTONIA ROBUSTA. One of the hardiest and most beautiful of our native palms; leaves fan-shaped, medium size, retaining their dark green color during the Winter months; stems short, thorny; of upright compact growth. Balled, 2½ feet, \$1.50 each; 3 to 3½ feet, \$2.50 each; 5 feet, \$5.00 each.

YUCCA, VARIEGATED. 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

CONSERVATORY AND PARLOR DECORATIVE PLANTS

Under this heading we have included such plants as flourish in the parlor, hall, greenhouse, porch, and some in protected situations out of doors.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS. The leaves are a bright green, are gracefully arched, and are as finely woven as the finest silken mesh, surpassing Maiden-Hair Ferns in grace, fineness of texture, and richness of color. 35c, 50c and 75c each, according to size.

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ASPARAGUS SPRENGERII. A variety of recent introduction. It is as a basket plant that this will prove most valuable. In 5-inch pots, 50c and 75c each; in hanging baskets, \$1.50 each.

ANTHERICUM VARIEGATUM. Foliage beautifully striped yellowish white; succeeds admirably in the window; also much esteemed as a basket plant. 4-inch pots, 35c each.

ASPIDISTRA LURIDA. This is the plant one sees so many of in windows, halls, and stores. The foliage is large, lily-like in appearance, of a dark green color. It is of rugged constitution and will stand in locations that will kill most plants. \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50 each.

ASPIDISTRA LURIDA VARIEGATED. A variegated form of the preceding. 7 and 8-inch pots, \$2.50 and \$3.50 each.

each.

BEAUCARNEA RECURVATA. A decorative plant of unique character; native of the highland parts of Mexico. A peculiarity of this plant is the large, round tuberous-like growth which forms at the base of the stem; in old specimens this increases to two or three feet in diameter. The foliage is long, narrow and gracefully arched, producing a specimen of very ornamental character. Very fine for indoor or porch decoration. Fine specimens in 10-inch pots, \$6.00 each.

FARFUGIUM GRANDE (Leopard Plant). An excellent decorative plant; foliage circular, spotted golden yellow 5-inch pots, 50c each.

BEGONIA. Rex Varieties. Very handsome parlor and greenhouse decorative plants. The leaves are wonderfully formed and marvelously colored. We have a magnificent collection. 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00 each.

COLEUS. 15c and 25c each. Larger plants later in the season. 50c each.

CYCLAMEN. Charming plants, with beautiful foliage and

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CYCLAMEN. Charming plants, with beautiful foliage and richly-colored fragrant flowers. Universal favorites for Winter and Spring blooming. Pot grown plants, in leaf and bloom. 75c and \$1.00 each.

FICUS ELASTICA (India Rubber Plant). Very large smooth leathery leaves, evergreen foliage; generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size. \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.

PICUS MACROPHYLLA. A variety with smaller leaves than the preceding; much valued for parlor or hall decorations. \$1.00 each.

tions. \$1.00 each.



The Washingtonia Robusta Palm is fine for sidewalk planting as it is of upright quick growth.

SELECT LIST OF FERNS

ADIANTUM CROWEANUM. A very strong growing Maiden Hair Fern. One that we can recommend. 7-inch pans, Hair Fern. \$1.50 each.

ASPLENIUM FALCATUM (Holly Fern). A favorite variety for house culture; the leaves are dark and very glossy and the fronds beautifully arched. 4-inch pots, 35c each; 5-inch pots, 50c each.

5-inch pots, 50c each.

JAPANESE FERN HANGING BALLS. 50c each.

NEPHROLEPIS BOSTONIENSIS (Boston Pern). Is one of the very few plants that will thrive under ordinary house care. It grows well, and improves in size where most all other ferns fail. The fronds droop and arch gracefully over the edge of a pot or basket, and, as it is a very rapid grower, it is not long before they reach the floor from an ordinary parlor table. In pots, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 each; in pans, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$7.00 each; in baskets, \$2.00 each.

NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANII. This is one of the rower.

\$2.00 each.

NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANII. This is one of the newest introductions to the "plume foliage" varieties, and it is certainly very fine; must be seen to be appreciated. Does beautifully in hanging baskets. In pots, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 each; in baskets, \$2.00 each.

NEPHROLEPIS AMERPOHIII. One of the daintiest of all the numerous sports which have emanated from the Boston Fern. The plant is exceedingly dwarf in character, with very wide and delicate lace-like fronds. It makes a superb plant for table decoration. 5-inch pans, 75c each; 6-inch pans, \$1.00 each.

NEPHROLEPIS ROOSEVELTII. One of the latest introductions. The habit is similar to the Boston Fern; foliage is very beautifully crimpled, and the fronds long and arched. Large specimens in 8-inch pans, \$3.50 each.

NEW ZEALAND TREE FERN (Dicksonia antartica). We

NEW ZEALAND TREE FERN (Dicksonia antartica). We have always been large importers of this truly grand Tree Fern, and the ever-increasing demand has compelled us to keep up with the times; so we have a good assortment of well-established plants to offer from \$5.00 to \$25.00, according to size. For greenhouse decoration the New Zealand tree fern cannot be beaten; or for outside work, when planted in sheltered locations, they are also very suitable.

PLATYCERIUM ALCICORNE (Stag's Horn Fern). 5-inch

pans, \$1.50 each. PTERIS TREMULA. A favorite house fern; fronds long

and arching. 5-inch pans, 50c each.

WOODWARDIA. Very useful for planting in shady places; a strong grower. Large roots, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.



Nephrolepis Rooseveltii



Our collection of New Zealand Tree Perus

THE DAHLIA

Of late years these have sprung into wonderful prominence, and are becoming more and more popular every year. This is not to be wondered at considering how they have been improved upon. The Cactus Dahlia of today is much superior to the old "show" round, stiff sorts (though still admired by many) of old. The Cactus varieties have long twisted petals, resembling in many cases chrysanthemums.

CULTIVATION. While the Dahlia is one of the easiest of all flowers to cultivate, it by no means follows that it requires no attention. In fact, no flower that we have ever cultivated will give such a generous response to good cultivation as the Dahlia. Deep and thorough stirring of the soil during the early growth of the plant is indispensable to success. With poor cultivation or neglect, the flower will rapidly degenerate—becoming semi-double and faded in color. The Dahlia with but few exceptions, should be given on open, sunny situation for at least a portion of each day. It is a rank feeder and should be given rich soil and kept free from weeds. We are in favor of taking up the roots every year, as soon as the tops are cut down by frost, and laying away in sawdust or in a dry place. Plant them out again in MAY OR THEY CAN BE PLANTED AS LATE AS THE END OF JUNE. We strongly advise our customers not to be in a hurry about setting the Dahlia out, as it is essentially a Fall flower, and when planted early they bloom in the hot summer months, and the flowers are very inferior, and at that season they are generally intected with an insect called "Diabrotica," resembling a lady bug, which does much damage to the flower of the Dahlia. This insect disappears later on; hence our reason for advising late planting. So many of our customers have been disappointed in this respect just through early planting. Continuing with our remarks about cultivating-just as soon as the plants are about two feet high, they should be staked, care being taken that the stake is driven far enough away from the root, so that it may not be injured. Mulch heavily with old well-rotted manure, and give the plants a thorough soaking once in ten days or two weeks. Frequent syringing adds greatly to the health and vigor of the plant. Disbudding, or picking off some of the flower buds and leaving only a few on one bush adds greatly to the size of the bloom. Dahlias can be set out from two kinds of roots, viz., DRY ROOTS and GREEN POT PLANTS. The former can be obtained as soon as we dig them, in December, and can be kept in sawdust, as above described, till planting time. It is better to order early or when you are getting your other stock.

GREEN POT PLANTS will be ready for delivery during May; they are grown in pots and raised from a cutting. These—green plants—you will please remember, will all bloom the first season after planting, and at the same time they are forming a bulb, which will do for planting out next season.

NEW CACTUS

50c each; \$5.00 per 12.

CREPUSCULE. Yellow tipped fawn; a very large flower of good shape and habit.

C. E. WILKINS. A shade of salmon pink on fawn, deeper at the points of the flowers; an extremely beautiful incurving variety.

DREADNAUGHT. Glowing crimson; deepening to maroon in the center; very long curving florets; flowers of great size: grand form and splendid stiff stems.

HAMLET. Large bright red flower, with excellent straight petals

HILDA SHOEBRIDGE. Beautiful rich salmon, of large size with grand petals.

IOLANTHE. Soft coral red with yellow shadings at the base, and tips of petals; very distinct and excellent.

JUPITER. Yellow shading to flesh-pink, heavily striped crimson; a fancy cactus, of good form and great excellence.

RED ADMIRAL. Rich glowing scarlet of grand form and large size; a superb variety.

WILLIAM MARSHALL. Light bronze-yellow flowers, with very long refined petals, grand shape.

NEW SHOW VARIETIES

50c each; \$5.00 per 12.

A. M. BURNIE. Dark orange ground, lightening to yellow toward edge of petals; of fine form.

CLARET CUP. Purple deepening to purplish crimson at base of petals; of splendid shape.
COLONIST. Chocolate and fawn; a very distinct color.

DUCKESS. Orange-scarlet; grand form with lovely shell-like petals; very high in center.

DUCKESS OF YORK. Lemon, veined and edged salmonpink; very fine.

ESMOND. Yellow; of very large size.

JAMES CROCKER. Purple; large; very fine; one of the best.

JOHN WALKER. This is the finest white show dahlia ever



The new Cactus Dahlia. Crepuscule

MRS. S. WALKER. Blush pink; of beautiful form.

STANDARD. Chocolate, faintly tipped yellow; center high and solid.

SHOTTESHAM HERO. White ground, tipped and shaded rosy purple.

TOM JONES. Creamy yellow; ground edged and suffused rose; a large beautiful flower.

NEW POMPONE OR BOUQUET DAHLIAS

These produce small beautiful miniature flowers and are very valuable for cutting purposes. 35c each; \$3.00 per 12.

ADELAIDE. Blush edged lavender; very lovely.

BACCHUS. Scarlet; a perfect flower.

IDEAL. Pure yellow; the best of its color.

LITTLE DONALD. Rich deep crimson.

NERISSA. Soft rose tinted silver; very distinct.

QUEEN OF WHITES. The best white.

NEW PAEONY FLOWERED DAHLIAS

The flowers produced by this class are remarkable. They are large, with, as a rule, two rows of petals, somewhat ragged in appearance, producing their flowers in wonderful profusion, and for a very long period. Wherever they have been exhibited they have excited great wonder. 50c each; \$5.00 per 12, except where otherwise noted.

BARONNE DE GRANCY. Pure white; of very large size; the flowers are well thrown up above the foliage.

GEISHA. Yellow, suffused and streaked with red; large semi-double; with long, pointed petals. 75c each.

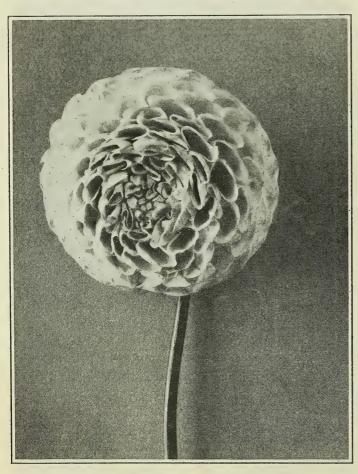
GERMANIA. Very bright glowing crimson.

GLORY OF BAARN. Light rosy-pink.

PRETORIA. Rose-streaked and mottled with crimson; a beautiful combination.

PIUS X. Large; bright yellow.

QUEEN EMMA. Rosy-pink, suffused yellow and white. STELLA MARIS. Crimson-scarlet, tipped white.



Show Dahlia. Tom Jones

NEWER DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

35c each: \$3.00 per 12.

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MINNIE BURGLE. Color, brilliant scarlet; fine form; large flower; erect stem; one of the very best commercial and garden varieties.

MRS. WM. KETTLEWELL. Color, light-velvety crimson; plant of medium height, branching habit, and extremely early and profuse bloomer. The best light crimson for cutting, the plants being continually covered with finely shaped blooms on erect stems and keep for a long time. A popular variety in San Francisco florist's stores.

SOUV. DE GUSTAVE DOAZON. This is the largest dahlia in cultivation. Birlliant orange-red.

CHOICE OLDER CACTUS DAHLIAS

Including all of the best of the newer and older sorts.

We will supply dry roots of the following varieties, as long as they last; after they are sold out we will supply green plants; those are ready during May.

Price of Roots and Plants, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

BRITANNIA. Delicate shade of soft salmon pink, blended with apricot. Petals long and twisted. Very free in bloom; stems long and stiff. Superb.

COUNTESS OF LONSDALE. A most beautiful Cactus Dahlia of true type. Color rich salmon tinted with apricot at the base of the petals, carmine pink toward the tips; stems long and stiff; very free in bloom.

CHARM. The base of the petals yellow, varying to red, with white tips and edges; very free in bloom. Distinct and charming.

COMET. A grand "fancy cactus," which has proved most satisfactory with us. The ground color is silvery rose, speckled with striped crimson. The stems are long and stiff and the flowers are borne well above the foliage; a good bloomer and keeper.

COLUMBIA. A fancy cactus sort; orange; petals long and narrow, beautifully tipped white.

DAYBREAK. A very rare shade of burnished copper; stem good, holding flower well above foliage. Good keeper; very free in bloom.

DOROTHY VERNON. A very pleasing "cactus" of exquisite shape. Color, flesh, shading through maple to cameo.

FLAMINGO. Very bright scarlet; flowers large, long pointed petals; stems strong, throwing the flowers well above the foliage; extremely profuse in bloom.

F. H. CHAPMAN. Yellow overlaid with deep orange; very bright and effective. A flower of grand form and largest size, with narrow, beautifully incurved petals.

GENERAL BULLER. Rich velvety crimson, nearly black at the base, each floret having a pure white tip, those in the extreme center showing a tinge of plum color. A very remarkable and perfectly distinct flower. Long, erect stems, very free.

GOLDFINCH. Clear, bright cinnamon; the best of this shade; petals gracefully incurved.

HARBOR LIGHT. Flowers bronzy yellow.

INNOVATION. Reddish scarlet, ends of petals distinctly tipped with white. Very fine and much admired.

J. W. BAGGE. Color bright radiant orange, with a tint of shining vermilion, an indescribably beautiful shade; flowers extremely large; stems long; blooming qualities unexcelled.

J. C. JACKSON. The deepest, darkest velvety maroon-black; of true cactus form; fine stems; grand bloomer. Nothing to equal it in its color. Perfection.

LADY COLIN CAMPBELL. A fine yellow, shaded orange; flowers large, borne on long stiff stems.

LUCIFER. Petals long and narrow, twisted; flowers borne very profusely; orange and old gold.

MATCHLESS. Dark purple maroon; almost same shade as the "Black Prince" rose. In form, color, size, and growth this variety is perfect. Blooms for a long period.

MONARCH. The color is a rich glowing velvety crimson; stems very long and stout, and hold the flowers well above the foliage. Very floriferous indeed.

MRS. MAWLEY. A very fine yellow Cactus Dahlia of largest size, coming on strong stems; fine form and shape; every bloom coming perfect; deep canary-yellow.

MAJOR TUPPENNY. Center of the petals yellow-tipped and bordered with dark buff, beautifully blended; stems long and strong, carried well above the foliage; a good keeper. A novel color.

OCTOPUS. White, tinted blush, very lårge; good shape, free bloomer; good stems and an excellent keeper.

PRINCE OF YELLOWS. Another grand yellow Cactus; not as many-petaled as Mrs. Mawley; stems long and stout; a grand keeper.

PROGENITURE. Intense dark, cardinal-red; large size; heavy flowers, coming perfect and so free flowering that the whole plant is covered with blooms; petals are beautifully quilled, ends cleft, or prettily fimbriated. A unique variety that should be in every garden.

PRINCESS PONIATOWSKI. A very large yellow cactus variety; very satisfactory in all respects.

RICHARD DEAN. One of the most striking novelties of recent years. Vermilion-scarlet, with distinct white tips. The habit will please the most exacting. It is upright, and has flower stems of great length. Flowers are of good size and splendid form.

SPOTLESS QUEEN. A grand Cactus Dahlia, pure white; stems long and stiff.

SAILOR PRINCE. A superb rich crimson, long narrow petals, finest form, always full to the center; a free early bloomer.

SHAMROCK. Long narrow petals; bright brick red.

VESUVIUS. A fancy cactus sort, much admired; the ground coloring is cinnamon-yellow, and penciled scarlet; petals long and full to center.

WM. JOWETT. Deep cardinal red; perfect cactus form, every petal quilled, very large; stems all that can be desired; very free in bloom.

WINSOME. A very fine white Cactus Dahlia; flowers very large, beautiful cactus form with twisted, incurved petals, and borne on long, erect stems, holding the flowers well above the foliage.

DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

AMERICAN FLAG. Bright orange, sometimes tipped white.

Much admired. Free bloomer.

BEACON. A grand, striking, rich, orange-colored decorative dahlia.

COUNTESS OF PEMBROKE. Perfect form and double to the center. Color rosy lavender. Beautiful shade. A magnificent sort.

FRANK L. BASSETT. Bright royal purple, shading to blue. The nearest approach to a blue Dahlia yet produced.

GETTYSBURG. An exceedingly large decorative Dahlia; full, round, high center. Bright rich scarlet. An early and profuse bloomer.

MADAM VAN DEN DAEL. A grand decorative variety of immense size and beautiful form, pure velvety white. Shading shell-pink on outer end of petals. This variety attracted much attention when on exhibition at our store and nurseries last season.

MRS. MORSE. A grand white; of perfect form; good long stems; borne in great profusion.

MRS. WINTERS. Color pure waxy white. It blooms very freely, producing flowers from 5 to 7 inches in diameter.

PATRICK HENRY. Pure white; of good decorative shape; stems long and stout; very full in bloom.

SANTA CRUZ. Straw color petals, beautifully tipped rosyred; elegant shape; good free early bloomer; fine stems; one of the best of its class.

THE DUKE. Vivid scarlet; shows yellow center which adds greatly to its beauty.

THOMPSON. Very dark red; profuse bloomer.

SHOW AND FANCY DAHLIAS

These are the old style of Double Dahlias, much improved. Shape of the flowers in this class is mostly ball-shaped. All of them of wonderful formation.

25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

A. D. LIVONII. A clear deep rose. The flower is well built up in the center; petals beautifully quilled.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY. A seedling of American Flag and a great improvement on that popular variety. It is of the same color and marking—bright crimson with a broad white stripe through the center of each petal—but much larger and fully as profuse a bloomer.

BLACK DIAMOND. The color is dark, jet-black when the flower first expands, and gradually changing to a deep velvety maroon-black. The flowers are large, of regular form, and good substance.

FRANK SMITH. Deep maroon, tipped white, large and full to the center; petals beautifully quilled. One of the best "Fancies."

KAISER WILLIAM. A very large yellow; petals tipped red; a grand sort.



The New Pacony Plowering Dahlia Geisha

JUDAH. The color varies—sometimes solid primrose-yellow, sometimes primrose-yellow shaded and suffused old gold, sometimes striped and penciled crimson, sometimes the flowers are solid crimson. All these types often appear on the same plant.

LOTTIE ECKFORD. This is a "Fancy Dahlia." The ground is white, spotted and striped with pink and crimson.

MAID OF KENT. Another "Fancy Sort." Scarlet-crimson at base of petals, point of each being white.

MRS. WYNDHAM. Exceedingly large; white, edge of petals tipped delicate purple; a showy variety. Green plants only.

OLYMPIA. The flowers are of immense size, measuring 6 to 7 inches across, with full high center, and, owing to the great length of the petals when opening, there is never a green center showing, even when the buds are first expanding. The color is deep rose-pink, striped and penciled with rich crimson.

RED HUSSAR. The flowers are large, of regular form, with a full high center and good texture. The color is purest cardinal-red, without trace of purple or crimson.

STORM KING. Pure white; perfect form. An extremely prefuse bloomer. Dwarf habit. Fine for bedding.

SINGLE DAHLIAS

25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

All of these are of dwarf, bushy growth, and need but little staking, unless in very exposed situations. Many people prefer single Dahlias. They are, like most single flowers, more esthetic and graceful than the double. The coloring is equally vivid and brilliant, and they bloom even more abundantly. A few plants will give quantities of cut flowers from early June to the middle of November if old blooms are kept picked off.

BRILLIANT. Deep, rich, vivid, velvety scarlet; sometimes the flowers come striped with yellow instead of solid color; medium sized; produced on good stems; good keeper; exceedingly free flowering. A mass of bright coloring throughout the entire season.

BLACKBIRD. Black, changing to rich, velvety maroon with a bright red spot at the base of each petal; the flowers are large, regular in form, and of fine texture and finish.

ACILIS. White, tinted blush; dashed, splashed, streaked, and spotted with crimson and dark red in a beautiful manner. Of the hundreds of blooms covering a single bush scarcely two are marked alike. Very fine.

CAILLABDIA. Golden-yellow, with a broad band or disc of red around the yellow center; named from its striking resemblance to Gaillardia Grandiflora. A distinct type that will become a popular favorite.

ONE. A very lovely variety; flowers exceedingly large; white overlaid with a soft pink. A rare combination. It blooms freely for a lengthened period; the stems are long and stiff, thus making it a very valuable variety for cutting purposes. A vase of these blooms makes a very handsome sight on the dinner table, the electric light showing up the flowers to the greatest possible advantage. LEONE. tage.

LAWRENCE KRAMER. The color is a deep, bright rosy pink of the richest, brightest shade, without tint or blemish, in marked contrast with so many of the so-called pink singles, which are shaded crimson, violet, or

lavender.

BAINBOW. Intensely bright crimson, shaded cerise and tipped with pink. The blending and shading of these two colors is indescribable; it fairly shines with a metallic luster that no word can do justice to. One of the very best.

COLLARETTE DAHLIAS

An entirely new type of single Dahlia, which has produced a great sensation the past three years wherever shown, and which has been awarded highest honors. The peculiarity of the type lies in the development of the four stamens into short rays or petals at the base of the petal, which form a frill or collar around the center. As the collar is entirely distinct in color from the rest of the flower, it is most unique and striking. We offer two of the most distinct varieties. We were pleasantly surprised and delighted with the habits of both these varieties, as they are of dwarf, branching habit and extremely profuse bloomers, starting with the earliest and continuing in full bloom until frost. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

JOSEPH GOUJON. The flowers are quite large, orange-red shading to deep red, with light canary-yellow collar. This variety has ten to twelve petals instead of the regulation eight.

PRESIDENT VIGER. The most beautiful and striking of the two varieties. Rich, deep blood-red, shading darker toward the base of the petals, with pure white collar, occasionally suffused with rosy carmine. The flowers are always perfect, with eight petals; it is an extremely contrained profuse bloomer. early and profuse bloomer.

CARNATIONS

In the following list will be found none but the newest and choicest varieties. 3-inch pots, ready about the end of March; 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; 5-inch pots, ready now; 30c each; \$3.00 per 12.

EL DORADO. One of the best yellow sorts.

ENCHANTRESS. Of recent introduction. A very pleasing shade of light pink, deepening toward the center; borne on long stiff stems; habit of plant strong and vigorous.

PELLE. A standard scarlet carnation, in much esteem on account of its all round good qualities. ESTELLE.

ENDALE. Variegated, similar to that old favorite, Mrs. Bradt, but freer in bloom and larger flowers; flowers GLENDALE. borne on long stems continuously.

MRS. THOMAS W. LAWSON. A grand deep pink carnation of very large size; blooms carried very erect on strong heavy stems; unusually free in growth and bloom. No carnation to date has created such a sensation as this vertex thirty thousand dellars. variety, thirty thousand dollars having been paid for the original stock.

LSON FISHER. A very deep pink in color, deeper than Lawson; flowers finely formed, with fringed edges. We can recommend this variety very highly for outdoor planting. To say that this variety originated with the same grower that sent out Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Patton should be a guarantee of its sterling qualities. NELSON FISHER.

PINK ENCHANTRESS. A bright rose colored sport of Enchantress; already as popular as its parent; it has all of the latter's good qualities.

VICTORY. Brilliant scarlet; flowers very large, borne on long stems; vigorous in habit and very free in bloom. Considered the best Scarlet ever introduced.

WHITE PERFECTION. This is now conceded to be the best white in cultivation; stems good, fine keeper and with a pleasing clove fragrance.

WINSOR. Light pink; good size. Very free in bloom, stems stiff and erect.

GERANIUMS

Price of plants from 3-inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BELLE POITEVINE. A lovely single salmon; very large flowers.

GENERAL GRANT. A fine scarlet; excellent for bedding; double

JEAN VIAUD. Soft, pure pink, with two white blotches; dwarf-stocky grower, rigid stems, large trusses, perfect florets; semi-double.

MADAME LANDRY. Double; very free and constantly in bloom throughout the season; trusses large, and florets of the finest size and circular in form; color, clear pink.

MADAME SALEROII. A very fine silver-leaved sort of dwarf habit, and excellent for bedding and bordering.

MISE. Rose, suffused orange; large, of perfect shape and very free in bloom; single.

JOHN PORBES. Vivid scarlet; immense circular florets, very large trusses; single.

EMILE ZOLA. Salmon, orange shadings; trusses of largest size; extremely free in bloom; single.

GERTRUDE PEARSON. Rosy pink, white eye; one of the best; single.

LA PILOT. Intense orange scarlet; trusses very fine, on long stems; one of the best older sorts; double.

MRS. GAER. Fine velvety pure white; single.

MRS. GLADSTONE. Very pale pink; single.

NEWSOM. A beautiful single scarlet, shading to red; immense trusses and very free flowering.

S. A. NUTT. The very best of the double, dark crimson scarlets.

An immense single scarlet; trusses very fine. THE CLYDE. Extra strong grower.

THE SWAN. A grand double white variety, constantly in bloom.

IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS

Are indispensable for covering banks, fences, etc. They are almost continuously in bloom, and require very little water.

CHARLES TURNER. The color is a bright pink. Qui double. Very useful for window boxes and rockeries.

CABLOS UHDEN. A magnificent new variety, quite double; color rosy scarlet; grand for window boxes and banks; always in bloom.

Soft red; semi-double; very free in bloom; a gem SABRINA.

PELARGONIUMS

(Lady Washington Geraniums)-Regal, Fringed and Decorative Varieties.

This magnificent group includes those varieties whose habit is more robust, and the flowers much larger than those of the show Pelargoniums. Their petals are either frilled or fringed and overlap each other in such a manner that they present the appearance of being double. Several of the varieties display a warmth and richness of coloring not found in any other class. Price of the following older sorts: 3 and 4-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

CHAMPION. White, shaded pink towards center.

DR. MASTERS. Rich dark red; upper petals blotched black. DUKE OF ALBANY. Deep, rich crimson-maroon, margined with rosy lake; light center, surrounded with violet, rose shading. A grand, dark variety, having a very full appearance.

DUCHESS OF TECK. CHESS OF TECK. Very large trusses of extra large semi-double white flowers; petals undulated and frilled.

E. G. HILL. Brilliant dark maroon, shaded scarlet, lower petals, lighter shade, with white center; very large.

EMBASSY. White; blotched crimson on upper petal. EMPEROR OF RUSSIA. Very dark; petals edged white; crimpled.

GLOIRE DE PARIS. Pink; a free and continuous bloomer. MABEL. Upper petals brilliant dark maroon, under petals soft rosy pink; large white center.

MADAME THIEBAUD. Blotched and marbled rose and white ground; upper petals marked with crimson-maroon; large white center, and edges of petals also white.

TON. Upper petals grandly blotched dark maroon, surrounded with bright crimson and edged with rose, lower petals of soft pink, feathered with crimson; light center. Trusses of fine, elegantly fringed flowers.

MRS. O. W. CHILDS. Rose-pink. Very large trusses. A lovely sort.

PRINCE HENRY. Light scarlet; upper petals blotched.

THE FOLLOWING ARE SOME VERY FINE NEW SORTS THAT WE CAN HIGHLY RECOMMEND. They produce immense flowers and trusses. The colors are matchless. 4-inch pots, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

ANDENKEN AN LONDON. Enormous, round, scarlet red flowers, with a distinct white center; the two upper petals blotched with black.

CARL HOLZMAN. Scarlet. L HOLZMAN. Scarlet, with a light colored center; upper petals penciled and spotted black.

SPBINZESSEN YSENBURG. Light red, center white with white edging to the petals, and dots of white over their entire surface. A unique sort. ERBPRINZESSEN YSENBURG.

PRAU KRUMB. Petals beautifully fringed and undulated; color pale soft rose, with upper petals blotched deep purplish red.

S SAUNDERS. A magnificent pure white with the two upper petals broadly blotched with purplish crimson: blooms very large. MISS SAUNDERS.

PAULINE SCHROETER. PAULINE SCHROETER. Deep rosy carmine, with white eye; upper petals darkly blotched.

PETER HOSER. Fiery brick red with black blotches on

each of the five petals.

SCHONE ILLA. Salmon rose, with dark blotches in the upper petals. A very pleasing shade.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

To obtain large flowers of this beautiful Fall flower, it is necessary that especial care and culture be given them. Young plants must be obtained; one shoot is allowed to grow and all side growth is kept nipped off so that the strength be allowed to go into the main stem. The plant is kept growing in this manner, but should a flower bud appear on the end of the stalk before the date set (at end of description of each variety), this also must be nipped away. For instance, we will take the "Alliance" as an example. The date is August 20th, but should a flower bud appear say about July 20th, this must not be allowed to grow, but taken away and a new bud will follow which ought to be about the size of a Pea, by August 20th, then all attention must be given this bud and the plant be kept liberally fed with manure and bone meal applications. If the bud which had formed, we will say July 20th, had been allowed to grow, the flower would have been much inferior to that bud "taken" at correct date, namely, August 20th. This will explain, we think, the meaning of the dates after each variety. Of course, judgment will have to be used; for instance, should a bud appear two weeks before date, then it would be as well to leave that one. The best planting time is during April and May.

Chrysanthemums should be protected with cheese-cloth a few weeks before blooming time. These few remarks

may help the novice in the growing of this plant.

To obtain large flowers, it requires a good deal of experience, and it may take quite a few trials before success is attained.

Plants from 3-inch pots at 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen, of the following choice sorts:

ALLIANCE. Bronzy-pink; Japanese; mid-season. (20th Aug.) AMATEUR CONSEIL. Red and buff. Japanese. (25th Aug.)

BEATRICE MAY. Pure white Japanese; incurved. (10th Aug.)

BRIGHTHURST. Pink, slightly shading to cream; large, irregular Japanese sort. (20th Aug.)

CHAS. CRONIN. Immense salmon-buff flowers. (25th Aug.) COLONEL APPLETON. Golden yellow; Japanese incurved; one of the best; late bloomer. (15th Sept.)

CRIMSON POCKET. Crimson and gold; incurved Japanese; a very fine sort. (20th Aug.)

DONALD McLEOD. Yellow and crimson. (20th Aug.)

F. S. VALLIS. A very large yellow; narrow twisted petals; attracts much attention wherever seen. (20th Aug.)

FOUBERT. Yellow with bronze stripe; Japanese; very fine. (30th Aug.)

HELEN FRICKE. Dark pink; a fine late variety; produces incurved Japanese blooms of good form. (5th Oct.)

J. C. SALTER. Yellow, Japanese. (20th Aug.) Yellow, Japanese. (20th Aug.)

JEANNIE NOMIN. A good late white variety; large incurved flowers. (5th Oct.)

KINKOBA. Pink, Japanese; mid-season. (30th Aug.)

LAVENDER QUEEN. Lavender-pink; good and early. (20th

LILY MOUNTPORD. A beautiful variety with outer row of petals pure white, center salmon; very large and good. (25th Aug.)

MARION HANKEY. Bright pink; broad petals of great sub-

stance. (15th Aug.)

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MRS. WM. DUCKHAM. Extra large Japanese reflexed; one of the best exhibition yellows. (20th Aug.)

MRS. J. E. DUNNE. Salmon terra-cotta; Japanese sort; a distinct and novel sort. (20th Aug.)

MRS. W. KNOX. Soft yellow; petals closely reflexing; a Japanese sort of great size. (25th Aug.)

MRS. H. PARTRIDGE. Crimson, reverse of petals old-gold; very large. (20th Aug.)

MRS. H. J. JONES. Glistening white; large incurved. (15th Sept.)

MRS. ROBINSON. A good, early incurved pure white. (5th Sept.)

MRS. GEO. HEAUME. Unique salmon-bronze; outer petals reflexed; center incurving; a grand acquisition. (25th

JOR BONNAFON. The most widely grown of yellow sorts for commercial purposes. (10th Sept.) MAJOR BONNAFON.

MONROVIA. An early flowering yellow variety. (20th July.) MOUNTER. Very large deep yellow; form broad, reflexed twisted petals; extra good late sort. (20th Sept.)

NATHAN SMITH. Pure white, Japanese; midseason; excellent. (5th Sept.)

OCTOBER FROST. One of the best early whites. (20th

QUEEN. A very fine silvery-white. (20th Aug.)

VIVIAND MOREL. Large reflexed pink; early. (15th Sept.) WM. DUCKHAM. Pink, Japanese; one of the best of its color for all-round purposes. (20th Aug.)

YANONA. Large white; deep reflexed blooms. (1st Oct.)

ABUTILONS

20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

BOULE DE NEIGE. The best pure white, up to date. GOLDEN FLEECE, OR GOLDEN BELLS. A bright golden-yellow abutilon, of strong, vigorous habit.

PINK GEM. Lovely rose-colored flowers.

SCARLET GEM. A rich bright scarlet.

THOMPSONII PLENA. Has perfectly double flowers, that resemble in form a double hollyhock. Color a deep orange, shaded and streaked with crimson; the foliage is beautifully verignated. is beautifully variegated.

VIOLETS

CALIFORNIA. Large, single blue. 60c per dozen.

MARIE LOUISE. The well-known double light purple variety. 75c per dozen.

PRINCESS OF WALES. This grand variety is of French origin; produces grand single flowers of a beautiful violet blue color in great abundance, and after years of trial has been found to be the best single blue. 60c per dozen.

HELIOTROPE

3-inch pots, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen. 4-inch pots, 20c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

OUEEN. Very dark.

SAPPHIRE. Purple, white center.

SUNRAY. Pale lavender.

NINE SPLENDID NEW DOUBLE FUCHSIAS

4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

ABBE FARGES. Extremely double. Sepals very much reflexed. Corolla reddish violet. Giant in size.

DIAMANT. A grand double variety.

Corolla white, with carmine shadings. Sepals rosy scarlet.

EMILE LAURENT. A very free blooming variety. Sepals clear rose; corolla rose and white.

G. PORTESI. Double, Corolla violet blue, veined with scarlet at the base of the petals. Sepals scarlet, A superb variety.

JARRY DESLOGES. Sepals clear red; corolla enormous. White, with rosy carmine at the base. A superb variety.

PYTHAGORE. Sepals dark coral red; corolla very double and spreading. Rich violet in color. Extra fine and large.

RENAULT MORLIERE. Sepals broad and reflexed. Corolla deep prune color. Very large flowered.

SYLVIA. Calyx scarlet. Corolla giant in size and pure

white in color. Beautifully formed flower.

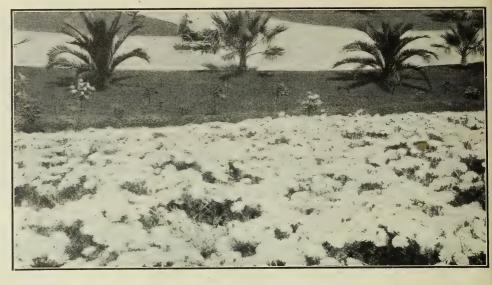
TORPILLEUR. Sepals intense red; giant double corolla. Color flesh, shaded rose. Extra fine.



4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

ELSA. Single. An exceptionally large flowered sort. Sepals rose colored; corolla rosy purple. Nothing finer in its color.

SWANLEY YELLOW. Another very beautiful single, with very long tube and spreading sepals. Corolla orange red. Extra good.



A Field of Pink Mesembryanthemum

FUCHSIAS

4-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen. Smaller plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BLACK PRINCE. Sepals bright red, corolla double, dark plume. One of the best. Constant bloomer.

GEROLSTEIN. Sepals purple; corolla white; single.

RICORTIANA. The Baby Fuchsia, very pretty.

PHENOMENAL. The largest double Fuchsia of dark color; tube and sepals scarlet carmine, corolla measuring 2½ inches in diameter, a rich dark-blue color.

PROCUMBENS, TRAILING. As a Fuchsia, this is an interesting sort, and of value for hanging pots and baskets. Covered with pretty leaves, bright flowers, and red berries. The flowers are small and show several colors, the anthers being blue.

STORM KING. A perfect gem. Dwarf habit; sepals dark carmine, corolla white, shaded rose. A magnificent large, double variety.

HARDY AND HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS

For many purposes hardy perennial plants are indispensable. To fill vacant spaces among shrubbery, under trees, etc., they occupy a place in gardening that annuals cannot supply. Once planted they need very little attention, and can be left from year to year only thinning out now and then. By judicious selection they can be had in bloom throughout the whole year.

DIGITALIS (Fox Glove). Tall-growing plants, throwing up very long spikes of lovely bell-shaped flowers in great profusion. 15c each; \$1.50 per 12.

CAMPANULA. Very desirable hardy perennials. Should be in every collection. We offer strong pot-grown plants. Single white, single blue, and single pink, 15c each; \$1.50 per 12. Ready March.

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA. This handsome perennial is now probably the most popular perennial plant in cultivation. It is continually one mass of golden yellow. The flowers, which are of graceful form, are invaluable for cutting for decorative purposes. 15c each; \$1.00 per 12.

DELPHINUM—(Larkspur). A remarkably showy class of tall growing plants, producing magnificent spikes of blue flowers in summer. Extremely satisfactory. **25c** each.

GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA. The brightest of all Gaillardias. Flowers bronze scarlet, bordered with golden yellow, three inches in diameter, produced on long stems. 15c each; \$1.00 per 12.

HELIANTHUS MAXIMILLIANA (Single Sunflower). A most graceful single-flowered variety, growing from five to seven feet high, continuing in bloom very late in the season. The flowers are produced in long graceful sprays, which make it invaluable for cutting purposes. 15c each.

CESTRUM AURANTIACUM. A herbaceous plant of much beauty; flowers orange-yellow; produced for a long period during summer and autumn months. 5-inch pots, 50c each.

HEUCHERA SANGUINEA. A dainty alpine plant idigenous to the high rocky mountain ranges of Arizona, California, etc. The plants grow in the crevices of rocks forming dense rosette-shaped tufts of foliage from which spring long wire-like stems eighteen inches high. These are covered toward the tip with small bell-shaped coral red blossoms. Extremely hardy and easy to grow; requires the shade of a rockery or fernery, where it soon becomes a lovely object. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

IRIS, GERMAN. The blossoms are immense in size and the colors exquisite; they bloom for a long period. \$1.00 per 12. (10c per dozen extra for postage.)

Bouquet Royal: light yellow standards, falls white.

Canary Bird: standard yellow, falls bronze, striped white. Empress Victoria: pale blue standards, falls purplish blue.

Kharput. Violet; very large and fine. Mixed sorts.

LATHYRUS. Evergreen Pea. This herbaceous climbing pea is of very rapid growth; it dies down in the winter, reappearing in spring; flowers produced in great profusion. We can supply the white and pink. Strong roots. 4-inch pots, 30c each. \$2.00 per 10.

PHLOX—PERENNIAL. Named Sorts. One of the finest of summer and autumn flowers; of easy culture and they produce in great profusion for a long period, flowers of fine form and substance and of bright and various colors; the flowers come in large trusses and are really a most desirable plant for garden decoration. 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

PENTSTEMON. Very ornamental plants, producing long spikes of showy colors in great abundance. We have a fine assortment of colors. 25c each; \$2.50 per 12.

SHASTA DAISY (Alaska). An improvement on Mr. Burbank's original Shasta Daisy. The flowers are very large, borne on long stems and very free in bloom. Single white, with yellow center. A most satisfactory perennial. 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

STATICE LATIFOLIA. Among the various types of so called "Everlasting" flowers, there are few which have

called "Everlasting" flowers, there are few which have the grace and beauty of the various members of the Statice family.

Their cultivation is extremely easy; the main requirements are a warm, sunny position, a soil of medium richness and rather light in character. The sprays should be cut when fully developed, and allowed to cure in a dry, shady place. They will then retain the characteristics of the growing specimen. Flowers pale lavender. 5-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

MISCELLANEOUS FLOWERING AND BEDDING PLANTS

Bedding and Border Plants should not be set out much before April 15th, when all danger from frost is over.

AGERATUM, Blue. A lovely bedding plant; produces blue flowers for a long period. 50c per 12; \$3.50 per 100.

ASTER, SEMPLE'S NEW BRANCHING. Crimson, lavender, pink and white. Ready about April 15th. 35c per dozen. \$2.00 per 100.

BEGONIA VERNON. This variety grows about eighteen inches high. The foliage, in the sun, turns deep olive green, shaded and edged with bronze purple; the flowers are bright red in color; magnificently set off by abundant dark foliage. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BEGONIA ERFORDII (Beauty of Erford). It is more dwarf and spreading than Vernon and bears three times as many flowers. The color is a lovely soft pink throughout which does not fade in the hottest sun. It blooms ten months in the year; grows about twelve inches high, and makes a most beautiful border for Cannas, Geraniums, Scarlet Sage, etc. All ready about April 15th. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

We have an extra fine strain of these lovely flowers to offer; the seed from which these bulbs were raised was obtained from a noted English specialist. The colors are simply wonderful and impossible to adequately describe; they come in all shades. The formation of the flowers is also quite distinct, some are large and very double; the singles are beautiful; some have plain edges, some fimbriated, some fluted and others crested. The exhibition we had at our Oakland nurseries this last summer was greatly admired by everyone who saw them, many experts saying they were the finest lot of flowers ever exhibited on the Coast; the size of the flowers was much commented upon, the singles, many of them, measuring 5 inches across.

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A type of our new Double Tuberous Begonia. Much reduced, as you will see.

CULTURE -The bulbs should be started in damp moss in March and April; when they have made a small growth they should be potted into 4-inch pots, using open soil, plentifully supplied with leaf-mould, sand and rich manure (the Begonia is a great feeder). When the plants have been growing in these pots for 4 or 5 weeks, the roots will begin to fill the pot; they must then be shifted into a 6-inch pot, using the same preparation for potting, and they can be allowed to bloom in these pots, or you can move them into a larger pot if you so desire; 6-inch pot plants will, however, give very good satisfaction. They require a sunny place in the greenhouse and see that they have good drainage. When they commence to bloom, the two small flowers that appear on each side of the center blossom (which is the male flower and the outside flowers are the female) are nipped out and the strength goes to the male flower. They will bloom for a long time; we have had them in bloom for four months at our nurseries. They are a continual source of great pleasure; we know of no flower that will give greater satisfaction than the tuberous rooted Begonia. The above instructions apply to pot culture.

The Tuberous rooted Begonia can also be, and is much used for bedding purposes and gives the very best of satisfaction. A partially shaded place should be selected for this purpose; this can be modified if the sections where planted have cool summers, as for instance, San Francisco, Santa Cruz, Berkeley, and such like climates. The bulbs would do better if started in pots and then when still small, planted out; this manner of handling the bulbs would be better than planting them out in the ground, we think.

Our collection of one year old bulbs (the best to plant) includes all shades of WHITE, RED, SCARLET, CANA-RY-YELLOW, STRAW COLOR, BRONZE, BUFF, APRI-COT, TAN, TERRA COTTA, SALMON, PINK, ROSE, every color excepting BLUE. Those ordering please mention what shades they prefer.

PRICE: MORSE'S EXTRA SELECT VARIETIES, FOR POT CULTURE, SINGLE OR DOUBLE, 50c EACH; \$5.00 PER DOZEN FOR ONE YEAR OLD BULBS, BY MAIL, POSTPAID.

MORSE'S FINE STRAIN FOR BEDDING PURPOSES, 30c EACH; \$3.00 PER DOZEN, POSTPAID.

CRASSULA COCCINEA. Flowers beautiful pink coming in umbels: deliciously fragrant. 4-inch pots 30c each;

CINERARIA. As a winter blooming plant for house culture, or for use for bedding under the shade of large trees, these are invaluable. We offer a fine strain, 15c each; \$1.50 per 12.

COSMOS. Crimson, pink, white and yellow. Ready about April 15th. 25c per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

DAISIES. Double, all colors. 35c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100. ECHEVERIA (Hen and Chickens). 50c per dozen.

GAZANIA SPLENDENS. Flowers orange-yellow, produced in the greatest abundance in the spring and early summer. For making borders, where there is a lack of water, this plant cannot be beat. 50c per dozen.

GOLDEN FEATHER. 35c per dozen; \$2.50 per 100.

HYDRANGEA HORTENSIS. This plant is a most satisfactory one blooming as it does for such a long period; they succeed admirably when planted in a shady place in the garden. Large plants 75c each.

HOLLYHOCK. Fine selection. 4-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.50



A field of Single White Marguerite. Very effective.

LANTANA. Extremely pretty plants, producing their odd-colored brownish-yellow flowers in great profusion for a long period; for bedding, or they can be used as a climber; they are unsurpassed. 3-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

LAVENDER PLANTS. Strong plants. 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

LIPPIA REPENS. PIA REPENS. Used in place of grass for lawns; it does not require much water and makes a fairly good substitute. \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

LOBELIA. Dwarf blue. Ready April 15th. 35c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM. ding purposes and planting on banks and hillsides where there is a scarcity of water. They make a gorgeous sight when massed. These are much used for bed-

Perhaps the showiest of them all is the one which produces the large single pink flowers. We can also supply plants of the small, lavender-colored one at 50c per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

MARGUERITE, WHITE. 15c each; \$1 25 per dozen.

MARGUERITE, YELLOW. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen.

NEW MARGUERITE. MRS. SAUNDERS. This valuable manufactific mass. Saunders. This variable movelty has met with great favor; the flowers are snow-white and double (late in the season, however, there is a percentage that come single); produced in prodigal luxuriance; the plant is very free in growth, and is a very beautiful object. 4-inch pots, 35c each; \$3.00 per

PANSIES (Morse's Prize Strain). The plants we offer are grown from seed, obtained from a noted grower in Germany, and include almost every shade of color, exquisitely spotted and blotched, veined, mottled and margined. 50c per dozen.

PETUNIA, SINGLE. Ready March 15th. 15c each; \$1.50

dozen.

PETUNIA. Double Pink, Double White, Double Purple, Double Variegated. 3-inch pots, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

POINSETTIA. This well known Christmas flowering plant is known to all. 50c, 75c, \$1.00 each.

ROMNEYA COULTERII. CALI-FORNIA TREE POPPY. This wonderfully beautiful poppy is universally admired. It is perpendicular perpendicular perpendicular per pure white flowers, with yellow centers, deliciously perfumed. with yellow centers, deliciously perfumed; the texture of the petals is a beautiful feature of this flower, it is like tissue paper. It blooms for a very long period and in great profusion. It attains a height of 5 to 6 feet. Strong plants, in 6-inch pots, \$2.00 each.

HERBACEOUS PAEONIES.
These grand perennials are among the showiest and most useful plants, and are becoming popular with the public of the property are all body and lic. They are all hardy and admirably adapted to our climate, growing well in almost any situation or soil, although the flowers will be finer and the color brighter if planted in a deep rich loam, well manured. We offer a splendid assortment in six distinct varieties. 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

WALLFLOWERS. 50c per 12. VERBENA, MISS WILLMOTT. Color, dark pink; very large truss; stems long, thus making it valuable for cutting; a long and continuous bloomer. An excellent novelty and one which we can recommend. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

VERBENA, NEWBERRY. A grand large white; trusses of immense size. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

VERBENA, MAMMOTH. The flowers are very large, of brilliant colors, and have large, distinct eyes. All colors. Ready March. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

VERBENA. VIVID SCARLET. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen. SANTOLINA. A beautiful border plant; foliage silvery gray; stands trimming well. 50c per 12; \$3.50 per 100.

SALVIA SPLENDENS. Scarlet flowers; continuous bloomers. Ready March. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

SEA PINK (Armeria). Very dwarf, requiring no trimming. Flowers rose-pink. 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

SPERGULA. Very dwarf, splendid for edging. **Square foot**, **50c.** One square foot would make an edging 25 feet long.

In fine assortment. 25c per dozen.

STREPTSOLON JAMESONII (The "Yellow Heliotrope").
A very useful garden plant, producing masses of showy yellow flowers. 35c each.

SOLANUM (Jerusalem Cherry). 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

GIANT ORCHID FLOWERED CANNAS

Our collection of these grand summer flowering plants is unexcelled. Price, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen. ALLEMANIA. Orange-red, petals edged yellow; very large.

CORONET. A good free-flowering yellow.

E. HOSS. Beautiful canary yellow, heavily spotted red. FLORENCE VAUGHAN. Orange-yellow, spotted bright red. J. D. EISELL. Bright vermilion scarlet, overlaid with pink. JEAN TISSOT. Brilliant vermilion, shaded orange; large foliage.

LOUISE. Velvety crimson; tall growing. ATLANTA. Bronzy pink; dark foliage. EGANDALE. Flowers red; bronze foliage. EASTERN BEAUTY. Light salmon; dark foliage.

MUSAFOLIA. Tall growing, with banana-like foliage; excellent for planting in background or center of beds; flowers red.

KING HUMBERT. Velvety orange-scarlet, flecked carmine: heart-shaped leaves of a deep purple brown. A grand

LOUISIANA. Soft glowing scarlet, throat marked orange:

very large flowers.

PENNSYLVANIA. Lustrous, wavy petals of largest size: deep shade of orange and scarlet exquisitely blended.

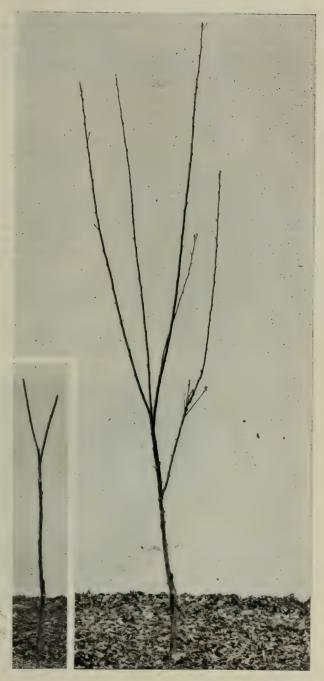
PRES. MEYER. Cherry-carmine; handsome bronze foliage;

very choice.
UNCLE SAM. Bright red, yellow throat; extra good.

FRUIT TREES AND SMALL FRUITS

The California Cultivator (a paper devoted to horticulture in this State) submitted to us the following questions and asked us to give them an answer thereto. As they bear very greatly on fruit tree planting in California, and as we receive such questions daily from intending planters, we thought we would help planters by giving the questions and our reply. We know it will be of great assistance to the novice in fruit tree planting.

- 1. How many months are included in the best planting period, i. e., how early may fruit trees be taken from nursery in fall and how late may they be planted?
 - 1. Late December, January, February and early March.
- 2. Where is it best to plant them, i. e., can you give a general idea as to planting figs, apples, pears, cherries, walnuts, peaches, and such other fruits? Of course, if you covered all the fruits this would take too much time, but whatever information you can give is greatly needed by tree planters. Orchard after orchard has been set out, only to prove a failure because owners did not understand this question.
- 2. Figs should be set out in the warmer sections, principally the San Joaquin and Sacramento Valleys, and the other fruits mentioned can be planted from Mendocino to San Diego. The intending planter, however, must use his own judgment about the best locations for each of these fruits.
 - 3. What age and size of tree is best?
- 3. The best tree to plant out is what nurserymen call "one-year-old" trees; the root is a year older, so this practically makes the tree two years old, but nurserymen style them "one-year-old"; either 3 to 4 feet high or 4 to 6 feet high—4 to 6 feet preferable.
 - 4. How large and how deep should holes be?
- 4. In sedimentary land, the hole does not require to be so very large, 1½ feet square will cover it. In heavier soil 2 feet will be necessary.
- 5. Is it best to plant any deeper in well prepared soil than tree was set in nursery?
- 5. Plant a little deeper than what they were in the nursery—not more than one inch.
- 6. Would you recommend close pruning of roots before planting or simply trimming mutilated ends? If you favor close trimming of roots, would you go to the extremes recommended in the Stringfellow method?
- 6. We recommend medium cutting back of the roots. We would not go to the extreme as Mr. Stringfellow does, although we practice it a great deal in our nurseries when we are lining out young stock, and have good success with it.
- 7. Would you top trees, i. e., take off greater portion of top grown in nursery, and if so, before or after setting? Would you do it by exact measurement the orchard over, or according to vigor of trees?
- 7. Trees should be pruned after planting, not before. They should be cut back about the same height, as near as possible. For instance, if you are planting one-year-old French Prunes, they make in nursery, a straight growth and run 5 to 7 feet high. These trees can all be cut back uniformly to 2½ to 3½ feet. This is governed a good deal by the location. In the warmer sections low heading is pursued and in colder sections the trees are not cut back so much.
- 8. If irrigation water is available, would you settle dirt about the trees with water or by tamping?
- 8. In the drier sections it is a good idea to use irrigation to settle the soil around the roots after planting, but in the northern parts and in the Santa Clara Valley, where the rain fall is good during the months of January and February, this is not necessary. Work the soil carefully around the roots; in light soil heavier tamping can be done than in heavy, wet land.
- 9. Would you advise use of fertilizer or manure, either in hole or on surface, at time of planting?
- 9. In planting large orchards no fertilizing is done.
- 10. Is any advantage gained by protecting trunks of



Unpruned Plum Tree (as it leaves our nursery) and the same after being set out and pruned as it should be. So many people are afraid to head their trees back. It is only by systematic and regular pruning that you can expect success with your fruit trees.

newly planted trees from rays of sun? Is so what method is best?

10. It is very necessary to protect the trunks of young trees during the first summer months, either by tulle tree protectors, shakes set on the sunny side, or by wrapping newspaper and tying with a cord. This keeps the tree from getting sunburnt and is certainly of great benefit to the young tree.

A FEW DON'TS OF THE NURSERY BUSINESS

Don't plant trees on dry hillsides.

Don't plant where the soil is shallow.

Don't leave the trees the first season without a drop of water or cultivation, and expect anything but poor suc-

Don't leave your trees without some kind of tree protector, or they will sunburn.

Don't let your trees go without hoeing and cultivating.

Don't fail to prune your trees after planting.

Don't plant where the hardpan is near the surface unless you first dynamite the holes.

Don't leave your trees exposed to drying winds at time of planting.

Don't let squirrels, rabbits and gophers get fat on your trees.

TO PURCHASERS' ATTENTION

DYNAMITING .- Much attention has been devoted of late to this method of preparing the holes for planting, and where the soil is heavy adobe and hardpan near the surface it is the very thing to do. We heartily commend this work. Frequent cultivating is absolutely necessary; there is no better way of keeping the moisture near the surface. When you water your trees dig away from around them, and afterwards be sure that you hoe back the dry soil. Never

allow the soil to bake. Our fruit trees are grown at our newly acquired nursery at Hayward, without irrigation and have made a remark-

ably good growth from 4 to 7 feet high, and are strong, sturdy, well-developed stock. Any further information desired we will be pleased to furnish, and to any who wish we will send experienced men to

look over the land and advise what should be planted. Actual expenses only charged for such services.

During the planting season our stock of nursery trees can be seen at our salesyard at Glen Avenue, off Piedmont Av-

enue, Oakland.

Our list of varieties has been cut down to the very best. While we aim to have all our fruit trees true to name, and hold ourselves ready, on proper proof, to replace, free of charge, all stock that may prove untrue to label, or to refund amount originally paid by the customer, it is mutually understood and agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that our guarantee of genuineness shall not make us liable for any sum greater than that originally paid us for such stock as may prove untrue.

APPLES

The first fruit in importance is the apple. Its period of ripening, unlike that of other fruits, extends nearly or quite through the year. By making judicious selections of summer, autumn and winter sorts, a constant succession can easily be obtained of this indispensable fruit. Price, 4 to 5 feet high, 35c each; \$2.50 per 10; \$18.00 per 100.

ROME BEAUTY. Large; yellow striped with bright red; very handsome; flesh tender, juicy, sprightly. December to February.

NORTHERN SPY. Greenish-vellow, striped purplish red; flesh white and juicy. A fine, late keeper.

RED ASTRACHAN. Large, roundish, skin deep red; flesh white, juicy and crisp, though rather acid. A hardy, vigorous and early bearer. The best early apple. Ripe in June and July.

ALEXANDER.

Yellow streaked with red; brighter red the sun; in flesh yellowish white: crisp, tender and juicy. A very fine market va-Ripe riety. in August.

BISMARCK. Intro duced from New from New Zealand and said to be one of the most promising of recent introductions: ductions; t r emendous

bearer and one of the very best apples for hot climates. Fruit is of a beautiful golden yellow color, of the largest size; very highly flavored and as a dessert apple said to have no equal; also suitable for cooking purposes. Ripens early and is a good keeper.

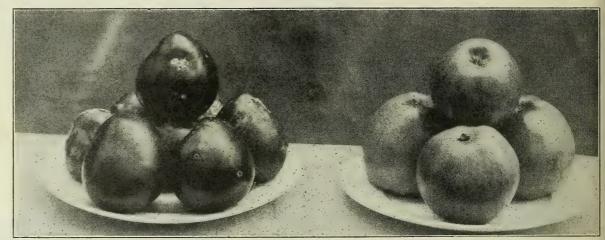
BALDWIN. Large, roundish, deep bright red over a yellow ground; flesh yellowish white, crisp, juicy, sub-acid. Ripe in November and December. An excellent market sort.

BEN DAVIS. Large and handsome; striped; of good quality; very productive. Ripe in November and December. EARLY HARVEST. Yellow, excellent for cooking or dessert. July.

ESOPUS-SPITZENBERG. Large, light red, rich. Sprightly; vinous flavor. One of the best. November to January.

GRAVENSTEIN. A large, striped, beautiful, roundish apple; of excellent quality, juicy, high flavored. A good grower and prolific bearer. Ripe in August. A good market sort.

ATHAN. Light yellow, with red stripes; tender and juicy, with a sprightly, vinous flavor; excellent for table or market. Ripens October and November. JONATHAN.



Gravenstein Apple

RHODE ISLAND GREENING. Large, greenish yellow. A constant heavy bearer. Ripe in October and December.

NEW KING. Dark red skin, very beautiful; flavor unexcelled, rich and juicy; tree a strong grower and heavy bearer.

TH'S CIDER. Large handsome red and yellow; juicy, with very good flavor; tree a vigorous grower and abundant bearer. October. SMITH'S CIDER.

WHITE WINTER PEARMAIN. Another sort that well in this State. Large, roundish, oblong and pale yellow; doted with brown; flesh yellowish, delicate, crisp, juicy, sub-acid; extra fine flavor. A general favorite. Late keeper. A strong and healthy grower. Ripe December to February.

WINESAP. Yellow, ground streaked with red; flesh yellow, with rich flavor; excellent for table. Ripens November

YELLOW BELLFLOWER. Very large, oblong, irregular and tapering toward the eye; skin smooth and of pale lemon color; fiesh firm but tender, juicy and sub-acid. One of the standard apples of California. A good grower and very productive. Ripens November to February.

YELLOW NEWTOWN PIPPIN. Another variety very successfully grown in California. Large; flesh yellow, firm, crisp, juicy, of exceedingly rich flavor. One of the best winter apples. Ripe January to March.

CRAB APPLES

Price same as Apples

HYSLOP. Deep crimson; very productive; fruit large for a crab apple; late.

RED SIBERIAN. Fruit about an inch in diameter. Yellew with a scarlet cheek. An erect, free grower. Bears very voung.

YELLOW SIBERIAN (Golden Beauty). Large, color beautiful golden yellow.

CHERRIES

Cherries thrive in almost any well-drained soil. It is one of the most ornamental of all fruit trees, and very desirable for planting, where beauty and shade as well as fruit are desired.

Price, 4 to 6 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100. 3 to 4 feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; \$20.00 per 100.

BING. Fruit large, dark brown or black; very fine; late. A good shipping variety.

BLACK TARTARIAN. Very large, bright black. The favorite.

BURR'S SEEDLING. Large, yellow, shaded red; sweet and rich, vigorous grower and heavy bearer.

CENTENNIAL. Very large white sort; early.

EARLY RICHMOND. Dark red; juicy, sprightly acid flavor; a very fine sour variety.

ENGLISH MORELLO. Large; dark red; of fine quality.

Light yellow, blotched red. The best early.

LAMBERT. Very large; bright rich red; an excellent sort. Ripens two weeks earlier than Royal Ann.

LEWELLING (Black Republican). Large size; a cross between Black Tartarian and Napoleon Bigarreau, having the size and color of the former and the solid flesh of the latter. Late and good.

MAY DUKE. One of the sour sorts, excellent for tarts; rich dark red, when fully ripe; quite early.

NAPOLEON BIGARREAU (Royal Ann). Very large; amber in color. The favorite white cherry.

BOCKPORT BIGARREAU. Large; pale amber in the shade, light red in the sun; good bearer.

PEARS

Price 4 to 5 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10; \$30.00 per 100. 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

BARTLETT. There is no occasion to describe this variety, so well known is it. A vigorous and strong grower. Bears heavily; good for shipping and canning. Ripe in August

JRRE BOSC. A large fine pear; cinnamon-russet, hand-some; half melting, juicy, slightly perfumed and de-licious; tree fine grower and productive; one of the most valuable of our autumn pears. September.

BEURRE CLAIRGEAU. Very large; red cheek with russet ground. Bears very heavily and when quite young. Flesh rather coarse at the core. Fine shipper to Eastern markets. Ripe in September.

BEURRE HARDY. This autumn pear is very desirable on account of its fine flavor and good bearing qualities.

i. WILDER. One of the longest keeping pears. Large, pyriform oblong, inclining to oval; skin yellow, profusely dotted and marbled with russet; flesh melting, full of juice, sweet; a delicious pear; keeps till March. A fair grower. COL. WILDER.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE. Large, resembles the Bartlett; ripens however, a little earlier.

DOYENNE WHITE. A well known and almost universally esteemed variety of the highest excellence. True a vigorous grower, productive and hardy. October.

DUCHESSE d' ANGOULEME. Very large; dull greenish-yellow, spotted with russet; flesh white buttery, with rich, excellent flavor; tree very productive. September.

EASTER BEURRE. Large, roundish, often sprinkled with many dots and patches; flesh white, fine-grained, juicy, sweet, rich flavor; a most desirable winter pear and an excellent shipper; tree a rapid grower and abundant bearer. October to January

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WELL. One of the finest American pears; large, yellow, handsome; sweet, melting. Tree very vigorous, hardy and productive. September and October.

P. BARRY. This pear was raised by the late B. S. Fox of San Jose. The tree is a good grower, bears immensely and when quite young. The color of fruit is deep yellow, nearly covered with rich golden russet; very large. A splendid shipper and late keeper. Best of all late pears. January to March.

KEL. Rather small, of good shape; yellow skin russety red cheek; flesh creamy white, rich flavor. vellow skin with

SNEY. Exceedingly large and handsome; pale yellow with crimson blush; flesh melting, juicy, sweet and tender with delicious flavor. September and October.

WINTER BARTLETT. NTER BARTLETT. Fruit large, closely resembling the famous Bartlett, but ripening four months later.

WINTER NELIS. Medium size, roundish, yellowish green, dotted with russet. Fine flavor. November to January.

PLUMS

Price, 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.

ABUNDANCE. extremely ly and profuse bearer and strong grower. Fruit large, showy and beautiful, beautiful, bright cherry red, with white bloom; flesh yellow, exceedyellow, exceedingly juicy, tender and sweet. Ripens July and August.

BARTLETT. One of the best of Burbank's recent introduc-tions. Said to wonderfully productive; very ornament-al tree with glossy green leaves, resembling closes, the famous Pear habit Bartlett in t of flavor growth, and fragrance. Fruit oval, yellow, turning to deep crimson when fully ripe; flesh light salmon colored, firm and juicy. Ripens before Burbank.

BURBANK (Japa-Large, nese). Large, yellowish with ground, with red cheaks; flesh yellow; firm.

CALIFORNIA
RED. An early
red plum; excellent for home use.



Hungarian Prune

CLIMAX. (A New Early Plum). Cross of Simoni and Botan. Very large, measuring 6% by 1½ inches in circumference; heartshaped. A superbly rich plum; extremely early. Ripens in the coast counties early in July before any other

MAN. Mottled, reddish purple; beautiful blue bloom; freestone; flesh firm and sweet; yaluable for shipping; CLYMAN. very early.

COLUMBIA. Purple; rich flavor; sugary and excellent.

GREEN GAGE. Small, but of the highest excellence; round, greenish yellow, with brown dots; very juicy and sweet. August.

KELSEY JAPAN. Very large, heart shaped; green changing to rich yellow, overspread with red; a fine home sort. July to September.

TARCH: Very large, roundish oval; dark purplish blue, freestone, of exceleint quality. An abundant bearer.

QUACKENBOSS. Large, deep purple, with beautiful blue bloom. September

ROYAL NATIVE. Light purple; flesh amber; rich, high flavor; early. Good for Eastern shipments.

SATSUMA. Large; blood-red flesh; of fine flavor.

SHROPSHIRE DAMSON. Superior to the common Damson; tree better grower and bearer; dark purple, excellent for preserves. September and October.

SULTAN. Very large; deep purplish crimson. July.

VICTORIA. Large, round; yellow shaded red in sun; good flavor; a very fine plum; ripens August.

WASHINGTON. A magnificent large plum, roundish; deep yellow, with pale crimson blush; flesh yellow, firm, very sweet and luscious separating from the stone. July and August.

WICKSON. Fruit heart shaped, skin deep cherry red, flesh amber; very juicy; pit small. A most delicious plum.

YELLOW EGG. Very large and beautiful; egg-shaped; flesh yellow, rather acid until fully ripe, when it sweetens. Clingstone.

PRUNES

The prune crop this past season was light in some sections, 3½ to 4c per lb. being the basis on which the crop was sold.

Price, 4 to 6 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10; \$30.00 per 100.

FRENCH (Petite d'Agen). This is the prune now grown so extensively and successfully in California for drying extensively and successfully in California for drying purposes; medium-sized; egg-shaped, violet purple; very rich and sugary. The best prune; prolific bearer. Cannot supply on Myrobolan root. At time of going to press have them on the almond root.

GERMAN. Long oval, and swollen on one side; skin purple, with a thick blue bloom; flesh firm, green, sweet, with a peculiarly pleasant flavor. Separates readily from the stone. September.

NGARIAN. Fruit very large, with tendency to come double; reddish violet, covered with a handsome bloom. Very juicy and sweet. Good shipper. HUNGARIAN.

IMPERIAL EPINEUSE. Large and uniform in size. Very sweet, and of high flavor; the skin is thin and of a reddish purple when green; when dried, coal black. Myrobolan and almond root, 3 to 5 feet. (Cannot supply in large quantities.)

ARS. An extremely early prune. Very large. Ripens August 1st. Skin very tender; at first of a light purple, tinted with green, changing at maturity to dark purple, covered with a thick white bloom. Valuable in localities where the French prune ripens too late for sun-drying. On almond root. 2 to 3 feet, only. \$20.00 per

VER. Very large, oval; skin yellow. Makes a very attractive dried fruit, besides being a good shipper and canner. Bears heavily. SILVER.

AGEDY. This is the earliest of all prunes, and earlier than any plum. Good size, dark purple skin, yellowish-green flesh. Sweet and very rich. TRAGEDY.

PEACHES

The Peach tree requires a well-drained moderately rich soil; warm sandy loam is probably the best. In order to preserve the continued healthy growth of the tree and the fine quality of the fruit, the peach should have the shoots and branches cut back to one-half the preceding season's growth every year, so as to preserve a round, vigorous head; this should be done the last of February or as early in the spring as practicable.

Price, on Peach root, 1 year, 4 to 6 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$20.00 per 100.

ALEXANDER. Flesh firm and juicy, sweet; early in June.

ELBERTA. Very large; bright yellow, with a beautifully mottled red cheek; flesh yellow, juicy, sweet; tree a uniform and regular bearer and strong grower. Fruit very showy and a perfect freestone. One of the best varieties for all purposes. Ripens last of July.

EARLY CRAWFORD. Very large; color yellow, red cheek; flesh yellow, rich, excellent. Very productive. Ripens about middle of July.

TER. Large yellow; resembles Early Crawford, ripening a little earlier; an excellent sort.

HALE'S EARLY. Medium size, nearly round; skin greenish-white, red-cheek; very rich and juicy. Ripens early in

FE CRAWFORD. Very large; yellow with dark red cheek; flesh deep yellow, juicy and melting; of exquisite flavor; valuable for canning and drying. Ripens middle LATE CRAWFORD. to end of August.

FELL. Flesh yellow to the pit; solid and of excellent quality; a grand canning and drying peach; ripens about end of August. LOVELL.

MORRIS WHITE. table purposes. A large white freestone; excellent for

IR. The best of all peaches for drying, because it loses less than any other in the process. Has a delicious, rich, buttery, sweet flavor. The fruit is large to very large; skin pure yellow; flesh yellow. Excellent for canning. Ripens end of August.

PHILLIPS CLING. The best late clingstone; in great de-

mand by the canneries.

SALWAY. A large, yellow English peach, with deep yellow flesh; very juicy, melting and rich. The most valuable late market variety.

STRAWBERRY. Medium size, oval. Skin marbled with deep red, flesh whitish, juicy, rich and of delicious flavor; ripens about two weeks before the Foster.

SUSQUERANNA. Large globular; skin yellow, nearly covered with red; flesh yellow, sweet, juicy and rich. Tree strong grower bearing heavy and regular crops.

TUSCAN CLING. A very fine early clingstone; a good shipping and canning sort.

NECTARINES

Price, 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

VANCE. Large, round; skin green on shaded parts, blotched with red and brown on sunny side; flesh greenish white, rich and sugary, with a rich flavor. The earliest Nectarine. July. ADVANCE.

EUMBOLDT. Largest size; skin bright orange yellow, stained, streaked and mottled with very dark crimson in the sun; flesh orange, very tender, juicy and richly flavored; the largest and best of all nectarines introduced lately. September.

STANWICK. ANWICK. Very large, skin greenish-white; flesh white and tender; a very fine sort.

APRICOTS

Beautiful and delicious fruit. In quality and appearance is between the plum and the peach, combining quality of both. Ripening early, together with its delightful flavor, makes it one of the most valuable fruits. Requires about the same cultivation as the peach or plum. For drying and canning it has no superior.

Price, 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100; 3 to 4 feet, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10; \$20.00 per 100.

BLENHEIM. An excellent variety and in great demand. The trees are early and regular bearers and have an abundance of foliage thoroughly protecting the fruit. Fruit above medium, oval; orange color, with deep yellow, juicy and rich flesh; July.

MSKIRKE. Large, roundish; flesh bright orange, tender and juicy, with a rich plum-like flavor; fruit not quite as large as the Moorpark, but ripening more evenly. August. HEMSKIRKE.

MOORPARK. Very large, yellowish-green, brownish-red on the sunny side, marked with numerous dark specks and dots; flesh bright orange, parts freely from the stone.

ROYAL. A very fine apricot, very extensively planted in this State. Of medium size, yellow with red cheek; immensely productive; an early ripening variety.

ST. AMBROSE. AMBROSE. A very large early sort, good only on account of earliness.

TILTON. Of large size, rich in color, and of high flavor; very uniform in ripening; good for canning and drying.

ALMONDS

The Almond prefers a loose, light, warm soil. It makes quite a large tree, and should have plenty of room. Trees should be headed low and pruned during the first three years. From 12c to 15c was paid for the paper shells last

Price, 4 to 5 feet, on Almond root, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.

DRAKE'S SEEDLING. Originated with Mr. Drake, of Suisun, California, of the Languedoc class; bears abundantly and regularly where the Languedoc is a total failure.

I. K. L. Tree a sturdy, upright grower, with large leaves; nuts large; shells easily, no machine being needed, nor is any bleaching necessary; shell soft but perfect. It bears heavily and regularly.

NE PLUS ULTRA. Introduced by Mr. A. T. Hatch. Tree a rapid grower; leaves rather large; a heavy and regular bearer; nuts large and very long in shape; soft shell; hulls freely.

NONPAREIL.

QUINCES

Price, 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

APPLE, or ORANGE. Large, bright yellow. The best. Ripe August and September.

CHAMPION. Very large; handsome; very productive; flesh tender; flavor delicate imparting an exquisite quince taste and odor to any other fruit with which it may be cooked.

AR SHAPED. A very fine sort, flesh of excellent quality; cooks up well and of very good flavor. PEAR SHAPED.

SMYRNA. Extremely large; elongated; lemon yellow; cooks tender and has a fine flavor; long keeper; tree strong grower with heavy foliage; very prolific. Ripens with Orange Quince.

THE OLIVE

Price, 3 to 4 feet, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10.

NZANILLO. Among the olives of southern Spain, especially around Seville, the Manzanillo is highly prized both for pickling and oil. The fruit is very large. One of the best olives. Very hardy, prolific, and a regular bearer. Makes a fine pickle and produces oil of a high

NOTE.—Olive trees are extremely scarce this year and the only variety we can supply is the Manzanillo.

FIGS

CALIFORNIA BLACK. A well-known local variety. Large, dark purple almost black when fully ripe. Makes a good dried fig. Tree grows to a very large size, and gives immense yield. (This variety does not require the Wild Fig for pollenization.) 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per

CALIMYRNA. The genuine commercial Smyrna Fig as grown in Asia Minor. Large size; turbinate; skin lemon-yellow; pulp reddish amber, excellent quality fresh or dried; must be fertilized by the Blastophagus wasp. August to October. 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

WHITE ADRIATIC. Fruit large; skin greenish-yellow color; pulp carnation red. Ripens from August to October. (This variety does not require the Wild Fig for pollenization.) 3 to 4 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

NPABEIL. First called Extra. Of a weeping style of growth, smaller foliage than the I. X. L., but still forms a beautiful tree; an extraordinarily heavy and regular bearer, with very thin shell, of the Paper Shell type.

KAS PROLIFIC. Tree vigorous with upright, open growth; late bloomer and prolific bearer. Nut medium size. Shell medium soft, smooth, white, easily separating from shell. Kernel short, broad, plump and very sweet.

QUINCES

WILD, or CAPRI. The wild or caprifigs contain the male flowers ontained in the edible figs. The caprifigs also contain gall flowers in which the fig-wasp, Blastophaga grossorum, lays its eggs, hatches and matures. This same wasp, issuing at maturity from the caprifig, becomes coated with the pollen of the male flowers of the caprifig, which are thick around the orifice of the fig. and the female wasp, seeking a place to deposit her eggs enters the Calimyrna fig and furnishes the pollen for the fertilization of the flowers of this variety. 3 to 4 feet, 40c each; \$3.50 per 10.

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Some seasons the tops of the Fig Tree get frozen in the nursery rows. This does not do the tree any permanent injury, as it "breaks away" from a lower bud.

ORANGES

Price, lifted with balls of soil, 4 to 5 feet, \$2.00 each; \$18.00 per ten.

MEDITERBANEAN SWEET. Fruit medium to large; pulp solid, with few seeds; ripens late. A very popular sort.

RIVERSIDE WASHINGTON NAVEL. Fruit first-class in every respect; size medium to large, oval, smooth, symmetrical, seedless; pulp fine grained, flavor excellent. A solid, perfect fruit.

RUBY BLOOD. Fruit below medium, nearly round; skin, very thin and smooth; pulp ruby-red.

VALENCIA LATE, or HART'S TARDIFF. An orange of remarkably strong-growing habit, and claimed by those fruiting it to be a good bearer; a little later than Mediterranean Sweet, which it resembles very much.

LEMONS

Price, lifted with balls of soil, 4 to 5 feet, \$2.00 each; \$18.00 per ten.

EUREKA. Tree nearly thornless, of rapid growth and prolific bearer; fruit of the best quality. A general favorite.

LISBON. Medium size; sweet rind; very strong in acid; very few seeds; tree a rapid grower and very productive.

VILLA PRANCA. Fruit uniformly medium size, fine grained, sweet rind; very few seeds, good keeper; tree strong grower, prolific bearer.

POMELOS (Grape Fruit)

This fruit is becoming one of the most popular of the citrus fruits in the Eastern States, and the demand for it

thus far has exceeded the supply. The name of "Grape Fruit," by which it is often called, due to its growing in clusters on the tree, is a misnomer. The growing popularity of this fruit is probably due to its medicinal qualities, particularly for correcting stomach troubles. The tree is fully as hardy as the orange and is a vigorous grower.

Price, lifted with balls of soil, 4 to 5 feet, \$2.00 each.

MARSH'S SEEDLESS. Medium. practically seedless; skin thin and smooth; pulp juicy; of superior flavor. Keeps late. A valuable acquisition; its delicious flavor and having no seeds should cause it to take the precedence over many other varieties.

STRAWBERRY **GUAVA**

The Guava is an ornamental evergreen shrub, with pink, shining foliage, and bears when only two feet in height. The fruit is smaller than an English walnut, of a fine claret color, and with a flavor resembling that a flavor resembling that of a strawber-Makes an excellent jelly. 2 feet, 50c each.



Calimyrna Fig

FEIJOA

Feijoa sellowiana. A native of Uruguay, Argentina, etc. First introduced into Southern Europe in 1890, and about the same time, or a little later, into Florida and California. Experimental cultures in the thermal belts of this State warrant the statement that it is destined to become of commercial importance. The fruits are about 21/2 inches long, 2 inches thick and 4-celled; pulp thick, white and juicy, with a sugary taste suggestive of the Pineapple and Banana; perfume pronounced and agreeable. It may be eaten fresh or preserved for later use.

Feijoa (pronounced Fay-zho-a) is an introduction of prime importance, destined to occupy a prominent place in California pomology. Dr. Franceschi says of it: "It grows to a small tree, and is allied to the Guavas, but hardier; (it will stand a temperature of 12 degrees above zero); leaves oval, coriaceous, glossy green above and scurvy white under-neath; fruits greenish-yellow, size of a large plum, containing a delicious pulp, so highly perfumed that baskets having held them will retain their perfume for weeks. For its symmetrical shape, remarkable foliage and showy white and crimson flowers, also very ornamental."

In our judgment it is the best introduction for many years. The sterling qualities of both bush and fruit commend it for general planting. It forms a beautiful, compact shrub, attains an ultimate height of 8 to 10 feet. In the spring the plant is adorned with a profusion of silvery white flowers, with tufts of bright crimson stamens surmounted by golden anthers, which later give way to a most delicious fruit. It is of easiest culture and is quite hardy, apparently thriving on the coast, and enduring the varied conditions of the interior valleys of California. We deem it well worthy of extensive culture as a fruit producing plant, to say nothing of its value as an ornamental shrub. Ripens from November to January.

3-inch pots, 30c each; \$2.50 per 10. 6-inch pots, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 each.

CHESTNUTS

JAPAN MAMMOTH. A valuable tree, both useful and ornamental; timber is very durable, and possesses a fine grain for oil finish. Nuts sweet, of delicate flavor, and are a valuable article of commerce. No farm should be without its grove of nut-bearing trees, and the chestnut should be foremost wherever the soil is adapted to its growth. Price, 4 to 5 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

MULBERRY

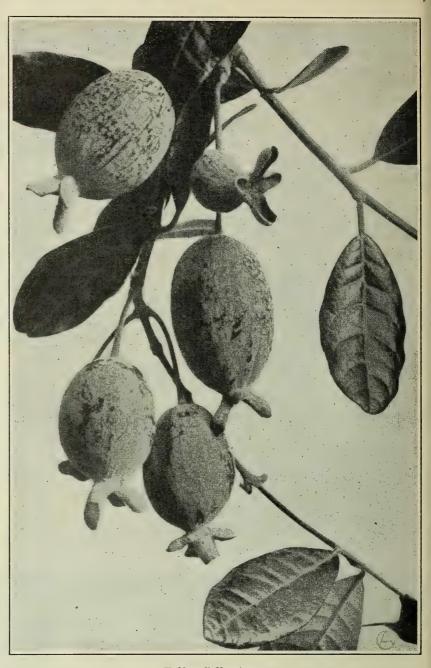
DOWNING. Tree of rapid growth; very good as a shade tree as the leaves are very large; deep green in color; fruit similar in shape to a blackberry; very sweet and aromatic. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

LOQUAT

The fruit of this Japanese tree is very nice. In this State it ripens in April and May, and is about the size of small plums, and comes in clusters; very sweet and refreshing. The plant itself is very ornamental, having large, crimpled foliage of an olive-green color; of spreading, dense growth. 1½ feet, 50c each; balled, 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.

WALNUTS

At the present time there is a great inquiry for grafted walnuts, it having been proven without a question that these come into bearing at a much younger age than do those trees raised from seed: furthermore the California Black Walnut root will thrive in much wetter land than the root of the English variety. By using the Black-Walnut for a stock to graft on we have increased the area where this nut can be grown. Grafted trees will bear good crops



Feijoa Sellowiana

at from 7 to 9 years. It is no doubt a paying crop; the trees requiring very little pruning and no thinning. The trees should be set 40 feet apart each way. If planted this distance, it will require 27 trees to the acre.

CALIFORNIA BLACK. A very rapid growing tree now very extensively used for grafting on. 4 to 5 feet, 35c each; \$3.00 per 10.

SANTA BARBARA SOFT SHELL. Tree a vigorous grower, early and abundant bearer. The nut is large; kernel white, sweet and readily extracted; shell thin, easily broken. One of the favorites in Southern California. 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10.

FRANQUETTE. Nut is quite large, of an elongated oval shape and very attractive; kernel full, sweet and of a rich, nutty flavor; a late bloomer. Grafted on California Black Walnut root, 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each; \$10.00 per 10; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.

FRANQUETTE SEEDLINGS. 3 to 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; \$30.00 per 100.

ENGLISH. 3 to 4 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10; \$30.00 per

MAYETTE. A very superior nut in every way. Tree an abundant bearer and very late bloomer. Grafted on California Black Walnut root, 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10.

PARISIENNE. Large, excellent; blooms late. Grafted on California Black Root. 4 to 5 feet, \$1.25 each; \$10.00 per

GRAPES

FOR TABLE AND RAISINS

Price, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10; \$6.00 per 100.

CALIFORNIA BLACK. The well-known Mission Grape.

CORNICHON, BLACK. Berries very large, oblong; covered with beautiful bloom; skin rather thick and dark. A good shipping sort.

FLAME TOKAY. A magnificent, large red grape.

MUSCAT OF ALEXANDRIA. Bunches and berries large, pale amber. One of the best for raisins. \$20.00 per 1.000.

ROSE OF PERU. Very large bunches; berries rounding, brownish black. One of the best for table.

SULTANA. Bunches long and very compact; berries small, amber colored, seedless; make fine seedless raisins; vine an immense bearer. Grows on sandy soils, producing large crops. \$20.00 per 1,000.

SWEETWATER. Bunches good size; berries medium size. round fruit.

THOMPSON'S SEEDLESS. Vine an enormous bearer and very rapid grower; bunches very large; berries greenish-yellow, firm, oval, seedless; skin thin, much larger than the Sultana. The raisins are of a very superior quality, and are in good demand. A valuable shipping grape, ripening in July. \$20.00 per 1,000.

THE PIERCE GRAPE

This grape originated at New Park, the home of J. P. Pierce in Santa Clara. For a long time it was known in the San Francisco market as Isabella Regia or Queen Isabella, but the name was subsequently changed by the late Mr. John Rock to "Pierce." There is no variety of American grapes which can compare with the Pierce in quality, size, luxurious growth of the vine and productiveness. The berries are of immense size, having the delicate flavor of the old Isabella without being too pronounced. 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

FOREIGN WINE GRAPES

BEST ASSORTED. \$5.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1,000.

AMERICAN GRAPES

Price, 2 years old, 20c each; \$1.50 per 10.

AGAWAM. One of the best of red varieties; bunches good size; berries tender and juicy.

CONCORD. Bunches large, compact; berries large, round, light, red, sweet.



The Pierce Grape

ISABELLA. Our most extensively planted Eastern grape; bunches long, large and loose; berries black, oval, juicy and sweet, with distinct musky flavor; an immense bearer; a valuable market variety.

GARA. Bunch large, uniform, very compact; berry large, mostly round, light greenish white, slightly ambered in the sun; peculiar flavor and aroma. Enormously productive.

CURRANTS

Currants and Gooseberries should be planted in good soil, which must be kept rich and well worked. Trim out the old wood as soon as it begins to decline, and shorten all the young shoots, to keep the bushes in good shape. Sprinkle ashes around the roots occasionally, to keep the borers

Strong, 2 years old, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10; \$10.00 per 100.

BLACK NAPLES. Berries large and black.

CHERRY CURRANT. Very large, deep red. One of the best. FAY'S PROLIFIC. Very productive, with long branches covered with large, rich, red-colored fruit.

GOOSEBERRIES

We can supply the following English sorts. Large fruiting, and of delicious flavor. 2-year-old plants, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10.

CROWN BOB. Large, roundish oval, red, hairy; of first quality.

INDUSTRY. Dark red; very large.

LANCASHIRE LAD. This splendid sort is of superior quality, almost as large as Industry, having a rich, pleasant flavor when ripe; color, rich dark red; a vigorous grower.

ITESMITH. Large oval shaped; yellowish white, slightly downy; of first quality. WHITESMITH.

KEEPSAKE. Very large; fruit of exquisite flavor.

RASPBERRIES

Plant in rows 5 to 6 feet apart, 2 to 4 feet in the row. Cut the tops off within a few inches of the ground when planted. After the fruit season, cut out all the old wood which bore the last crop of fruit. Pinch the vigorous young shoots several times during the summer. They will then grow stout enough to stand without staking.

CUTHBERT. The largest, handsomest and best red Raspberry cultivated. Bears transportation well. Very productive. 75c per 10; \$5.00 per 100.

PERLATIVE. A very fine new variety, said to be of superior quality. Following is introducer's description: The Superlative is acme of perfection in the Raspberry family. Has hardy and healthy growth. Fruit the largest of any variety. Very prolific. Core is small, flesh very deep, seeds very small. Fruit does not fall from plant when ripe. Leaves are very large and corrugated, making it practically insect proof. Delights in hot weather and matures very early. Is very heavy cropper. 30c each; \$2.50 per 10. SUPERLATIVE.

BLACKBERRIES

Plant in good soil, in rows 5 to 6 feet apart, and 3 to 4 feet apart in the row. After the fruiting season, or in early spring, cut out all the dead wood. Blackberries should be planted early, before the buds start. A good top dressing of stable manure, applied annually, will be conducive to large crops. Keep the ground clean.

LAWTON. Fruit large, roundish conical, rich gloss black; firm, juicy, sweet and excellent. 60c per 10; \$4.00 per

HIMALAYA BLACKBERRY

This is the greatest of small fruits introduced for a very long time. Unknown to the world, it has been growing for centuries in the Himalaya Mountains and was introduced into this country in 1905.

We have been growing this for several years and always thought a great deal of it, but this year it seems to have done better than usual, so that we want to bring this very satisfactory blackberry to the attention of the public.

The plant is an extremely strong grower and requires to be trained to a trellis. It bears immense crops of fruit, commencing to ripen about the middle of July and it will keep bearing until frost. The fruit is very large and the

BLACKBERRIES—(Cont'd)

flavor is delicious, having a wonderfully fine aroma which commends itself to everyone. When ripe, it melts in your mouth like sugar. It has no seeds. For eating, untooked, or otherwise, it cannot be beaten. It also makes fine pre-

serves and jellies.

Another point in its favor is that it bears the first year after being planted, or if you have a lot of old vines that you wish to cut down on account of their getting too large, you can do so and the first year you will get a crop from a new growth. This is a peculiarity of the Himalaya Berry which adds further to its value as a berry for commercial

One year old plants, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. Tip rooted

15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$6.00 per 100.

MAMMOTH BLACKBERRY

Named by some "The Black Loganberry"

The fruit is enormously large, some specimens measuring from 21/4 to 21/2 inches long. The globules are large, seed small, soft and not very abundant; core quite small and very soft. The flavor is a decided improvement on any known variety of blackberry, the acid flavor so pronounced in all other kinds is very mild and pleasant, and when fully ripe is quite sweet. Set out 9 feet apart, and 6 feet in the rows.

Tip rooted plants, 15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$6.00 per 100.

THE MORSE STRAWBERRY

For many years the aim of the horticulturist in this State has been to produce a Strawberry in all respects similar to that grown in England, where this luscious fruit attains perfection. Success, however, has only been partial. The size was obtained, but at the loss of the flavor, and vice versa, the flavor and aroma were obtained, but lacking the size. English sorts have been introduced and tried, but found wanting, their new environments not being congenial.

In the "Morse Strawberry," introduced by us, we have found the long-looked-for ideal berry for California, and it affords us great pleasure to introduce this gem to our customers. We know that everyone who tries this berry will be more than pleased with it. It is a broad assertion when we say that the Morse Strawberry will take the place of all other sorts, especially for home use, when it becomes known—but we really mean what we say.

The berry is of very large size and can be sliced; half a dozen berries constitute a fair-sized dish. It is never hollow or pithy, but always solid and meaty. The color is deep crimson clear to the core. It commences to bear when the plants are quite young, and continues the entire sea-We have never before seen such a splendid cropper. The aroma from the fruit is most delicious, having a true Strawberry fragrance. The plant is a strong, thrifty grower, and holds the berries well up on the stem so that a very small proportion of the fruit is spoiled by coming in contact with the soil. The plants we are sending out are strong and thrifty and will give a good crop of fruit the first season. This berry has been tried both in the cool and warm sections of this State, and in both locations it has proven equally satisfactory.

CULTURE. A few suggestions as to how they should be grown may not come amiss. Some of our customers are not as well posted as others, and it is to those that we would offer the following suggestions. First of all, your soil should be enriched with old, well-rotted stable manure dug in the soil before planting. The plants are set out 9 or 10 inches apart in the row, and 12 inches between the They are generally ridged, and between the ridges a wider space left so that you can irrigate. By this means the ground where the plants are does not get flooded, nor does it become baked. This is especially necessary in large plantings. Of course, in smaller plantings, this manner of planting is not so essential. Keep all runners cut off, and by so doing you will throw the strength into the fruit. The earlier they are planted in the season, the better crop you will have the first season. We have, however, seen the Morse Strawberry planted in

March bearing a good crop of fruit in July, another good point not previously mentioned which is found in this berry but in no other sort.

Price 60c per 12; \$4.00 per 100.

STRAWBERRIES—OLDER VARIETIES

Price, 25c per dozen; \$1.50 per \$100; \$8.00 per 1000.

RANDYWINE. (Per.) Plant a luxuriant grower, healthy and hardy, and very productive; blossoms perfect; fruit very large, of good form, bright red all over, and of good quality. Season, medium to very late. It succeeds on any soil.

TONDYKE. (Per.) Color of herry rich red extending to BRANDYWINE.

ceeds on any soil.

KLONDYKE. (Per.) Color of berry rich red, extending to center; of mild flavor, quite juicy; of great productiveness. A fine shipping sort and grown extensively for market as it is an excellent shipper.

LADY THOMPSON. (Per.) Early; very productive; large; firm and fine flavor. A valuable market variety. Plant, strong and vigorous grower.

MAGOON. Large herry dark red in color and affective for the c

MAGOON. Large berry, dark red in color, and of very fine

marshall (Per.) Of enormous size, blood red color, rich aromatic flavor. One of the good old "standbys."

MOLINDA. (Per.) A fine variety which originated in Pajaro Valley. Plants are good growers; long lived; make but few runners; staminate, and exceedingly prolific; berries of good size, firm, of a dark-red color.

THE LOGANBERRY

(Raspberry-Blackberry)

The fruit is as large as the largest-sized blackberry; is of the same shape, with globules similar to that fruit. Color, when fully ripe, a dark, rich red. It partakes of both flavors of the raspberry and the blackberry, being a combination of the two mixed; a very pleasant, mild, vinous flavor, delightful to the taste, not found in any other fruit, but peculiar to this alone. It is excellent for the table, eaten fresh or cooked, and for jellies or jams without an equal. The vines are enormous bearers. Tip rooted, 15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$6.00 per 100.

THE PHENOMENAL BERRY

Is the result of a cross between the Improved California Dewberry and the Cuthbert Raspberry. Mr. Burbank (the introducer) describes it as larger than the largest berry ever before known; bright crimson raspberry color; productive as could be desired. Tip rooted, ready January, 15c each; \$1.25 per 10.

HORSERADISH

Strong plants, 15c each; \$1.00 per 10.

RHUBARB

LORENZO AND LINNAEUS. Strong roots, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

AUSTRALIAN CRIMSON WINTER

The great value of Rhubarb as a vegetable has always been its earliness, and a vast amount of time and labor has been spent in efforts to originate a variety which would produce stalks even a day or two in advance of other early varieties. Australian "Crimson Winter" Rhubarb will produce marketable stalks abundantly, fully six weeks earlier than any other Rhubarb. Price, 25c each; \$2.00 per 10. Smaller plants, 15c each; \$1.00 per 10.

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How Our Trees Open Up After a Voyage of 7,000 Miles

Nanking, China, April, 1912.

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C. C. MORSE & CO., San Francisco.

Dear Sirs:—The 1,000 fruit trees arrived in excellent condition and we have them planted.

July, 1912:—President B—— went up with me today to see how the fruit trees and other things that were received from you last April, were doing. We were delighted; hardly a dead one and nearly every one branching out nicely.

(Signed)

J. B.

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NEW MODEL SEED DRILL.



On our own extensive seed farms which are illustrated in the first few pages of this catalogue, we use the New Model Seed Drill exclusively. We have found by trying the different makes that this one is the best. The following are reasons which we ask you to consider:

1.t. The New Model will sow in rough, lumpy ground without getting clogged. Many of the light Eastern seeders are inefficient on heavy California soils, but not so with the New Model.

Can be perfectly adjusted to the finest difference in size

2nd. Can be perfectly adjusted to the linest difference in size between the different seeds.

3rd. New Model seeds evenly and cut-off is quickly and easily handled; is economical.

4th. Main wheel is of large size and width, so will not sink in soft earth. Handles are well bolted and adjustable in height; machine is easy to work.

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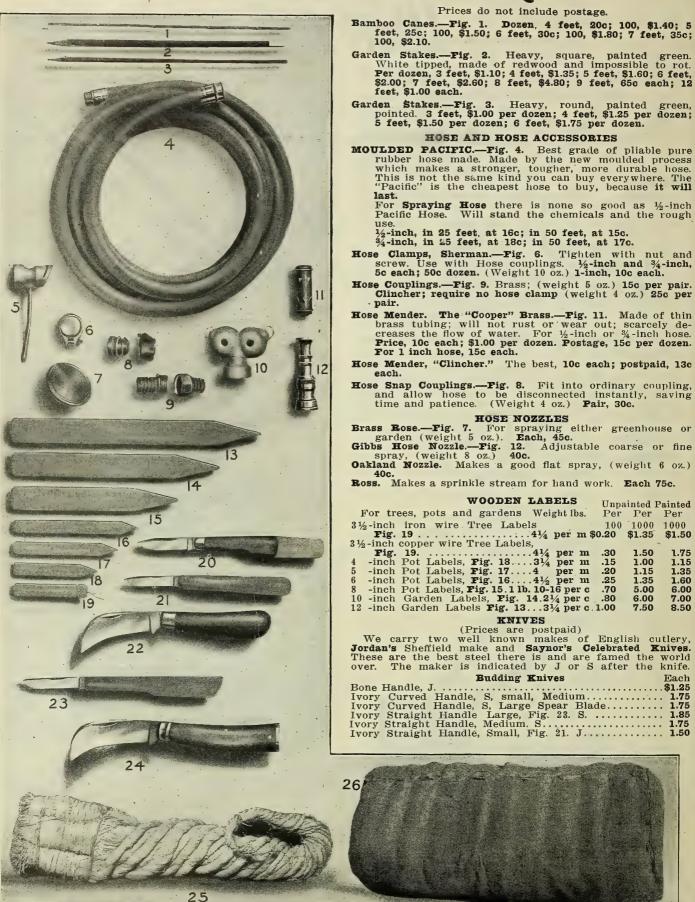
5th. Opening plow is of steel, adjustable in depth; index shows at a glance how to set for the ordinary seeds. A well made and satisfactory seeder. It will save much labor and give a better stand than other methods of seeding.

NO. 17. COMBINED DRILL SEEDER AND SINGLE WHEEL HOE. This is the frame and complete Single Wheel Hoe attachment of No. 20 to which is added a Drill Seeder. The frame is lower than No. 6 and cannot be made for double rows. This tool will probably do all you require and be cheaper than No. 6. Price \$11.50.

HORSE CULTIVATORS

- No. 1. Five Tooth Cultivator. A strong framed cultivator adjustable to width of row, 9 to 24 inches. Price \$5.00; with lever for expanding, price \$6.00.
- No. 1. Seven Tooth Cultivator. Built on the same strong frame as the Five Tooth above. Price \$6.10; with expanding lever, price \$7.10; with lever and plain wheel, price \$7.85.
- No. 5. Nine Tooth Cultivator. For orchard work. Price \$9.95.
- No. 37. Five Tooth Dixie Cultivator. Lightly made for work only in light soils. Price \$4.00.

HORTICULTURAL TOOLS AND REQUISITES



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Pruning Knives (Postpaid)
Prices do not include postage unless so stated JON BRAND GRAFTING WAX weight 9 oz. \$1.00 each. LAWN SPRINKLERS "Anaconda"—Tall Revolving Sprinkler. 18 inches high.
Throws well. \$1.50 each.

"Twin" Sprinkler.—Fig. 10. Made of zinc metal and cannot rust. Will cover the lawn evenly for 16 feet radius. Very popular; weight 10 oz. Each 25c.

Fan Sprinkler.—Fig. 5. Made of zinc metal and shaped so that it will water a bed on one side only. Very convenient to use from a cement walk; weight 9 oz. Each 25c. 30 GOPHER AND MOLE TRAPS Gopher Trap "Novelty"—Fig. 33. Without doubt the best gopher trap made; brass jaws; never fails to catch them; weight 3 oz. 25c each.

Mole Trap "Reddick."—Fig. 32. No mole can pass under this trap and live; weight 2% lbs. 90c each. LAWN MCWERS Express charges up to 40 cents will be prepaid free. "THE GRAHAM." The new Philadelphia mower with low knives, high wheels; double gears; all steel. 15-inch, \$17.00; 17-inch \$19.00. \$17.00; 17-inch \$19.00.
Philadelphia, Stye A.—Fig. 31. Solid steel throughout, ball bearings highly geared; will clip closely and well. Used by the Golden Gate Park extensively for their work. The finest mower made; all parts tested. 15-inch, \$15.00; 17-inch, \$16.50; 19-inch, \$18.00.
Philadelphia, Style K.—Fig. 30. Has 5 blades, part steel, single pinion; a good high class mower. 14-inch, \$8.75; 16-inch, \$9.75; 18-inch, \$10.75.
Old Style Philadelphia.—Fig. 23. Solid blade and wheel 32 31 16-inch, \$9.75; 18-inch, \$10.75.

Old Style Philadelphia.—Fig. 28. Solid blade and wheel impossible to get out of order; will last a lifetime; does good work. There is no mower just like this and none other so popular. 10-inch, \$5.00; 12-inch, \$6.00; 14-inch, \$7.00; 16-inch, \$8.00.

The Colonial.—Fig. 29. An extra good mower at a low price. Is substantially built of best iron and steel, and has ball bearers which make it very easy to run. 12-inch, \$4.50; 14-inch, \$5.00; 16-inch, \$5.50.

The Wedgeway.—Fig. 29. Is the same as the Colonial, but without the ball bearings. 12-inch, \$3.75; 14-inch, \$4.00. 33 35



INSECT DESTROYERS

The following cannot be sent by mail, except where noted, but must go by express or freight. Poisons are not mailable.

conate of Lead. A new arsenic spray for caterpillars, codlin moth, etc. This is preferred by many to Paris Green, as it can be readily seen when applying; sticks to the leaves and does not burn the foliage. Is the cheapest and best arsenic insecticide. Our prices are especially low. Recommended by the Dept. of Agriculture. 1 lb. can, 25c; 5 lbs., 90c; 10 lbs., \$1.50; 50 lbs., \$5.50; 100 lbs., \$9.50. Special prices in larger lots. Arsenate of Lead.

"Black Leaf 40." Tobacco Extract is the strongest extract of tobacco made, being 40% pure nicotine. "Black Leaf 40" is non-volatile, so that the full strength is available. Is most valuable as a spray on trees and bushes against aphis and thrip. Dilute 1 to 500, and use with 1 lb. whale oil soap to 50 gal. 10½-lb. can, \$12.50; 2½-lb. can, \$3.50; small tin, \$1.00.

deaux Mixture—Fig. 38. The best and most generally used spray for blight, mildew, curled leaf, pear scab, etc. All prepared and ready for use. Dilute 50 times. 50-gallon bbl. enough for 6 acres of fruit trees. 1-qt. cans, 60c; 1-gal. cans, \$1.50; 10-gal. keg, 70c per gal. Bordeaux Mixture-

California Wash.—Fig. 40. Lime and sulphur solution.
Makes 30 to 40 gallons of spray. The only effective
spray for San Jose scale; apply when leaves are off the
trees. 1-quart can, 60c; 1-gallon can, \$1.50.

pe Dust. A non-poisonous powder for the remedy and control of mildew and rot on grapes, roses, etc. 5-1b. package, 45c.

Hellebore. For killing caterpillars and other pests of this nature. Is a poison and very deadly to insects, but not to people. ½-1b. package, 20c; 1-1b. package, 35c.

Kerosene Emulsion. Ready to use; will kill scale, green lice and other pests that suck; makes 25 gallons of spray. 1-quart cans, 60c; 1-gallon cans, \$1.50.

Nico-Fume Liquid. Contains 40% nicotine. Place a hot iron in 1½ pints of water to which a scant tablespoonful of Nico-Fume has been added. This will kill greenhouse pests over 600 square feet. Useful also to spray against aphis. ¼-pint can, 65c; 1-pint can, \$1.85; ½-gallon can, \$6.25; 1-gallon, \$12.00.

Nico-Fume Tobacco Paper. Strongly saturated with nico-tine. Merely suspend from bench and light lower end. One sheet is destructive to 2000 cubic feet. Air-tight can 2 dozen sheets, 85c; postpaid, 95c; air-tight can of 144 sheets, \$3.90.

Paris Green. Pure, poisonous. Kills caterpillars, and all bugs which chew the leaves. ½-1b., 25c; 1-1b., 45c.

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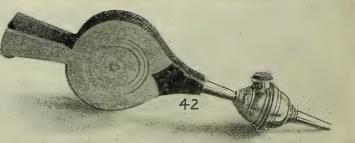
"Rose-Leaf" Extract of Tobacco. Most effectual for the destruction of insects on plants. Dilute with 65 parts of water. This spray will kill the thrip that is so destructive to the orchards. Spray early when the buds begin to swell and again when through blossoming. Is good for lice, fleas, mange, and scab on animals. 1 pint, 40c; 1 quart, 70c; 1 gallon, \$2.00.

Sheep Dip—"Black Leaf." Can also be used as an insecticide when diluted. In 5 gallon drums only. Per gallon, \$1.10.

Slug-Shot.—Fig. 36. Destroys all insects injurious to house.

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Sulpho-Tobacco Soap.—Fig. 46. A wonderful insect and bug exterminator. 3-oz. cake (makes 1½ gallons prepared solution), 10c; mailed, postpaid, 13c; 8-oz. cake (makes 4 gallons prepared soultion), 20c; mailed, postpaid, 28c.



INSECT DESTROYERS

acco Dust. The most economical form to use tobacco as an insecticide; fatal to green and black fly and similar garden pests, by simply dusting over the plants. If dug around the roots will keep away all pests below ground and insure health to the plants. 10c per 1b.; if by mail, 15c extra; 10 lbs. 60c; 100 lbs. \$4.00. Special prices for larger lots.

Whale Oil Soap.—Fig. 37. Dissolved in water makes an excellent spray for scale on palms, etc. 1-lb., 20c; postage additional; 10 lbs. in bulk, \$1.00.

Tobacco Stems. In bales of about 50 lbs. at 31/2c per lb.

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These are the best made bellows; will last a long time and are very strong and durable. These are better sent by ex-

Bellows, Double Cone, for all fine powders...\$3.50
Bellows, Large Single Cone, with spreader—Fig. 52
for all fine powders...\$2.50
Bellows, Small Single cone, for all fine powders...\$1.50
Liquid Atomizer, large—Fig. 41...\$2.50
Liquid Atomizer, small...\$1.75

HEAVY BRASS SYRINGES—Fig. 45
The Morse Garden Syringe.—Fig. 45. Polished brass, 18x1½ inches, fitted with adjustable plunger; one coarse rose, one fine rose, and one jet spray. Best English heavy

18-inch (weight 21/2 lbs.), \$5.00 each; with water drip, \$5.25.

20-inch, (weight 2 % lbs.) \$6.00 each. With quick-filling valves, 16-inch, \$4.50 each; 18-inch, \$5.50; 20-inch, \$6.50.

Ladies' Garden Syringe.—Fig. 45. Polished brass, 16x14 inches, coarse and fine spray and jet, (weight 24 lbs.) \$4.00 each.

Orchid Syringe No. 1. Polished brass, 18x1½ inches; quick filling valves; drip protector; one rose and five attachments for making mists, (weight 2½ lbs.) \$6.00 each.

Glass Tank Sprayer (Lowell). Similar to Fig. 47, but improved. Has copper tubes and zinc top; nothing to corrode; easy to work on account of air chamber. (Sent by express). 90c each.

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Morse's Tin Sprayer.—Fig. 39. The new style has can placed across tube. For spraying liquid insecticides of all kinds on plants, kerosene in chicken houses, etc. An all-round useful instrument and at a low price, (weight 2 lbs). 50c each; \$1.25 for three.

Houchin Powder Bellows.—Fig. 42. In three sizes. Best sent by express. *\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.40 each.

Whitewash Pump.—Fig. 43. Galvanized iron, fine for chicken houses, fences, etc.; light construction, (weight 3 lbs.) \$1.95 each.

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meyers Bucket Fump.—Fig. 48. A standard force pump of heavy brass. Has brass ball valves, and great durability, (weight 7 lbs.) \$3.25 each.
Large Floradora Powder Gun.—Fig. 49. Holds ½ lb. of powder. 35c each; 40c each, postpaid.
Watering Pot.—Fig. 50. Galvanized in

Watering Pot.—Fig. 50. Galvanized iron, with brass fittings and two brass roses, one fine and one coarse, with each pot. These are hard to pack and are better sent by express than by mail. 6-quart, \$2.50; 8-quart, \$2.75; 10-quart, \$3.25; 12-quart, \$3.50.

Watering Pot, Greenhouse Pattern. Built to get close to greenhouse roofs; 4 quarts. \$1.85 each.

Jumbo Powder Gun.—Fig. 51. 25c each; 30c each postpaid.



PARCELS POST

A new PARCELS POST law will go into effect on January 1st, but we are unable to get details at the time of this writing. These new rates will make it as easy for customers living in the country to order and have their goods come as if they were living in the city. As the charges will vary for different distances, we have, wherever possible, entered the weight after the article so as to enable you to compute the charges, which must be prepaid. Write for charges on any articles not figured in this way. You will find it very easy to order not only seeds but the following tools and supplies.

THERMOMETERS

We will mail Thermometers at purchaser's risk only. While the postal charges are less than express charges, yet they get more careful handling by express.

Frost Alarm Outfit (Tycos). Save your crop by knowing when there is a frost. This thermometer can be had to ring at frost or at 28 degrees; other points if specially ordered. Outfit consists of bells and dry batteries, switch, etc. Each, \$27.00.

Japanned greenhouse, 8-inch scale. Fig. E, 15c each; 6 for 75c. Japanned greenhouse, 10-inch scale. Fig. E, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

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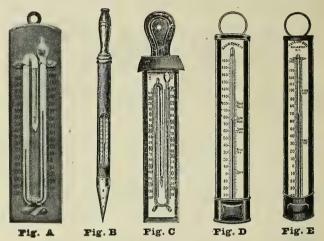
Japanned tin, black oxidized, 10-inch scale, a better thermometer than the above. We recommend this as a good all round thermometer. Can furnish with either mercury or spirt. Fig. D, 50c each.

Maximum and minimum thermometer, records each day the extreme heat and sold, has a magnet to set the little steel stops which are left at the highest point each afternoon and at the lowest point each night, thus telling the range of temperature for the day. A high grade thermometer in a copper case. Fig. C, \$4.00 each.

Maximum and minimum thermometer, records each day the extreme heat and cold, wood scale. Fig. A, \$1.75 each.

Separate Maximum and Minimum Thermometers. These come on one board but are two separate standard thermometers, absolutely accurate; used by the U. S. Weather Bureau. Per pair, \$4.00.

Standard Spirit Thermometer, absolutely accurate, easy to read. 10-inch scale, \$1.50 each; 12-inch scale, \$2.00 each.



Mushroom and bot bed, brass point. Fig. B, \$1.25 each. Mushroom and hot bed, extra fine, heavy brass. Fig. B, \$2.00 each.

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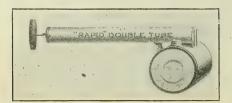
AUTO SPRAY No. 1

Fully guaranteed. The only practical compressed air sprayer and useful in every variety of spraying. For trees, shrubs, vines, up to five acres of field crops, disinfectants and small whitewashing jogs. The tank is made of either heavy brass or galvanized iron as ordered, and has a capacity around three gallons of solution. The pump is locked to the tank by a cam and can be removed or replaced by a simple twist of the wrist. The joint is made by direct pressure on a rubber gasket. The pump is of heavy brass, two inches in diameter, and two, or possibly three, pumpings will discharge the contents under higher constant pressure than any other knapsack sprayer.

we recommend a brass tank—will not corrode, also the Auto-Pop No. 1 automatic shut-off operating a self-cleaning wire through the nozzle. Each machine securely packed in a wooden box, shipping weight 15 lbs.

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DOUBLE ACTION SPRAYER "RAPID" Made so that the plunger sprays coming back as well a s pushing out. Tin. Each,

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The best all-round equipment in high-

The best all-round equipment in high-pressure hand lever pumps.

While primarily built for supplying white-wash and cold water paints, the largest work of this nature being easily undertaken, it is also perfectly adapted to spraying all kinds of trees, plants, shrubs, vines, etc. In fact, it is in every respect a general purpose sprayer. It combined convenience of size with ex-ceptional durability and high pressure, with price within reach of all.

The pump is made of heavy brass with adjustable packing. The tank is of eight gallons capacity made of heavy galvanized iron and the cover is also heavily reinforced. This cover can be instantly removed, exposing all working parts.

The machine is furnished complete with eight feet of high grade hose, eight foot extension, stop-cock and latest pattern Vermorel nozzle. Shipping weight 40 pounds.

Auto-Spray No. 3-A, brass tank......\$16.00 Auto-Spray No. 3-B, galvanized tank... 13.00





MORSE GALVANIZED SPRAYER. We recommend this Sprayer. Made of heavy galvanized iron; has copper tubes and long barrel; is painted aluminum. Good for all small work. (Weight 1% lbs.) Each 75c.

IDEAL SPRAY OUTFIT. Weight 65 lbs. Price, \$19.00.

This outfit is exceptionally well adapted to use around coun-try homes and small orchards. small orchards. The tank holds 15 gallons and will not slop or spill; is made of galvanized iron extra heavy. This outfit is always ready; is easy to operate. A pressure of 150 lbs. can be maintained by its can be main-ned by its ecial air lbs. can be maintained by its special air chamber; has agitator. Get your neighbors together and save your oak trees by spraying with Paris green. Outfit consists of 10 Paris green. Outfit consists of 10 ft. 3%-in. hose; 10 feet Pipe Extension in 3 pieces; 1 Brass Shut-off Cock; one Ideal Nozzle; all ready for use and easily carried from tree to tree.





KING BARREL .PUMP Price, \$9.25. A fine heavy pump for going inside of a barrel. Valves are of bronze balls. Without attachments.

Bamboo 8-ft. Extensions. Iron Pipe. \$1.75 each. Bamboo 8-ft. Extensions. Brass Pipe. \$2.75 each.

Spray Controller for use with extensions. The handiest shut off there is. \$1.60 each.

Ideal Upshoot Nozzle. Sin-

Cant Clog. Spray Nozzle; adjustable..... Each, 90c

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DOUBLE ACTION SPRAYER "DAISY."

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Like Rapid above, but

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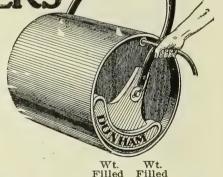
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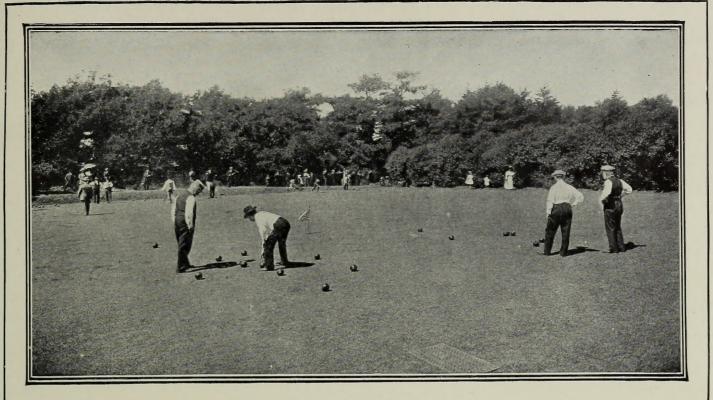
For Orders	From	\$ 0.01	to	\$	2.50		3	cents.
	From	\$ 2.51	to	\$	5.00		5	cents.
		\$ 5.01					8	cents.
		\$10.01		0.0		1	0	cents.
		\$20.01				1	2	cents.
		\$30.01				1	5	cents.
		\$40.01		100	-	1	8	cents.
		\$50.01				·2	0	cents.
		\$60.01				2	5	cents.
	From	\$75.01	to	\$	100.00	3	0	cents.

Memoranda of Issuing Postmaster:

Note-The Maximum amount for which a single Money Order may be issued is \$100
When a larger sum is to be sent additional Orders must be obtained. Any number of Order
may be drawn on any Money Order office; but, if Orders are drawn in excess of \$200 on any
one day upon an office of the 4th class, notice of the fact by letter [or Form 6037] is to be
promptly sent the Department by the issuing Postmaster so that provision may be made fo
payment.

Applications must be preserved at the office of issue for four years from date of issue.

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The Bowling Green in Golden Gate Park.

Golden Gate Park in San Francisco is famous for its beauty and for its lawns. Each year the Park uses large quantities of our finest lawn grasses. We make special mixtures for special purposes, such as putting greens, golf courses or play grounds. If you use our seed and give the proper care, you can have just as good a lawn as any in Golden Gate Park, around your own home.

Australian Rye Grass. Australian Rye Grass makes a very hardy, bright green lawn, and, if treated with care, a very satisfactory one. It will grow and flourish on sandy soils, and we recommend this or preferably Pacific Rye Grass for lawns in San Francisco. By express or freight, per lb., 15c; per 100, \$10.00.Postpaid per lb., 25c.

Pacific Rye Grass (Morse's). best grass for a straight lawn in any sandy soil such as is about San Francisco. Pacific Rye Grass is like the hardy Australian Rye Grass, but is longer lived and of a much finer leaf, thus being easier to cut and looking better at all times. By express or freight, per lb., 25c; per 100 lbs., \$20.00 Postpaid per lb., 35c.

Kentucky Blue Grass makes an excellent lawn of a dark-green color. It forms a fine mat and with care and water is the best lawn grass for all soils except sandy ones. By express or freight, per lb., 25c; per 100 lbs., \$20.00.....

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Morse's "Golden Gate Park" Lawn

Mixture contains the more hardy grasses which are used to make the sod for the park playgrounds, where the grass has to endure much tramping over. The mixture also contains a very little white clover. By Express or freight, per lb., 25c; per 100 lbs., \$20.00. Postpaid per lb., 35c.

Morse's Special Shade Mixture.

If you are troubled by a shaded spot in your lawn under some tree, where grass ordinarily will not grow, plant our "Special Shade Mixture," and you will soon have a lawn there as good as elsewhere. Our mixture is made from natural wood grasses which grow in shaded places, and for such locations it is unequalled. By express or freight, per lb., 50c.Postpaid per lb., 60c.

White Clover. This is the little dwarf growing clover used for lawns in many places, especially around Berkeley, with much success. The color is dark green, the leaves are small and close together, making a desirable lawn. The chief advantage, however, is that white clover roots deeply and so requires less care and water and still looks well. By express or freight, at market rates.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS ON LAWN MAKING

Prepare the soil well; this means spade it over and dig in some fertilizer or manure. Let the ground stand a month, or else do not apply fertilizer until grass is three months old. Two weeks before planting roll and water the ground well and before sowing the seed hoe the soil, but do not spade it, and roll again.

Sow the seed evenly and roll it in or sprinkle a good cover of sandy loam over it. Where a roller is not available rake the grass in lightly and press down by patting with spade. Water twice a day until the grass comes up. In stiff clayey soils, if planting in summer, use straw or leaves to protect the germinating seeds until the grass is an inch high. Make the lawn any time of year when there is water to irrigate and the ground does not freeze.

Use one pound of seed to 250 square feet of lawn. Keep free from weeds, water well, and keep cut regularly.

Use fertilizer (a good one is our Odorless Lawn Dressing, 10 lbs., 60c; 25 lbs., \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.50) when the growth is poor and the grass needs invigorating.

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